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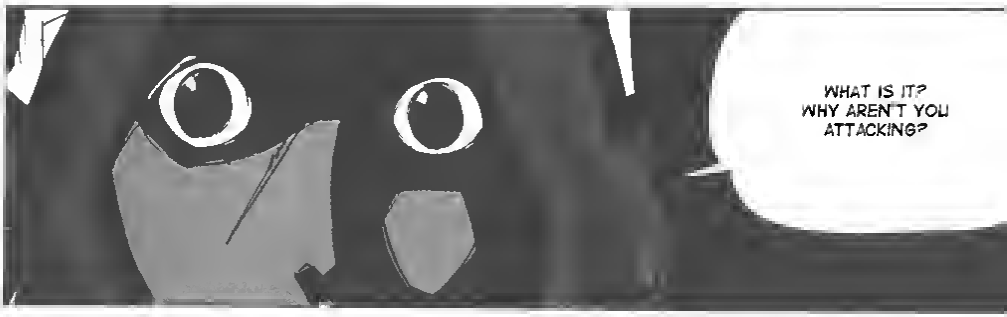
I DON'T SEE ANY OPENINGS!!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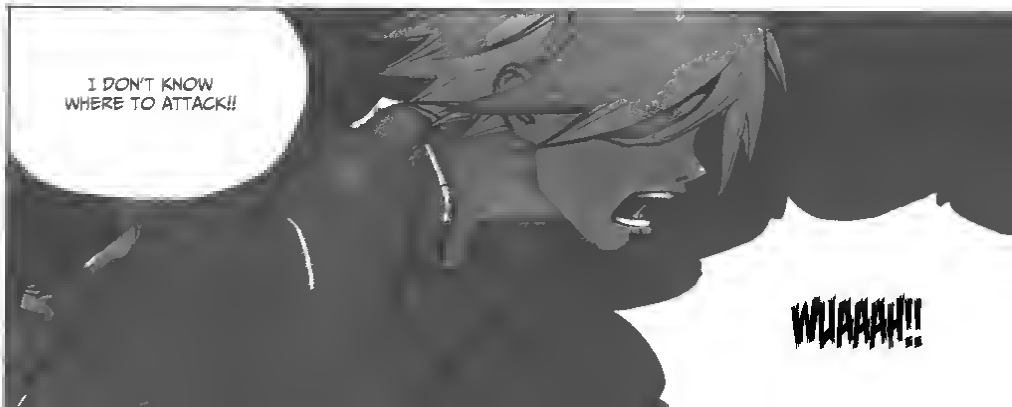
I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO ATTACK!!
WUAAAH!!

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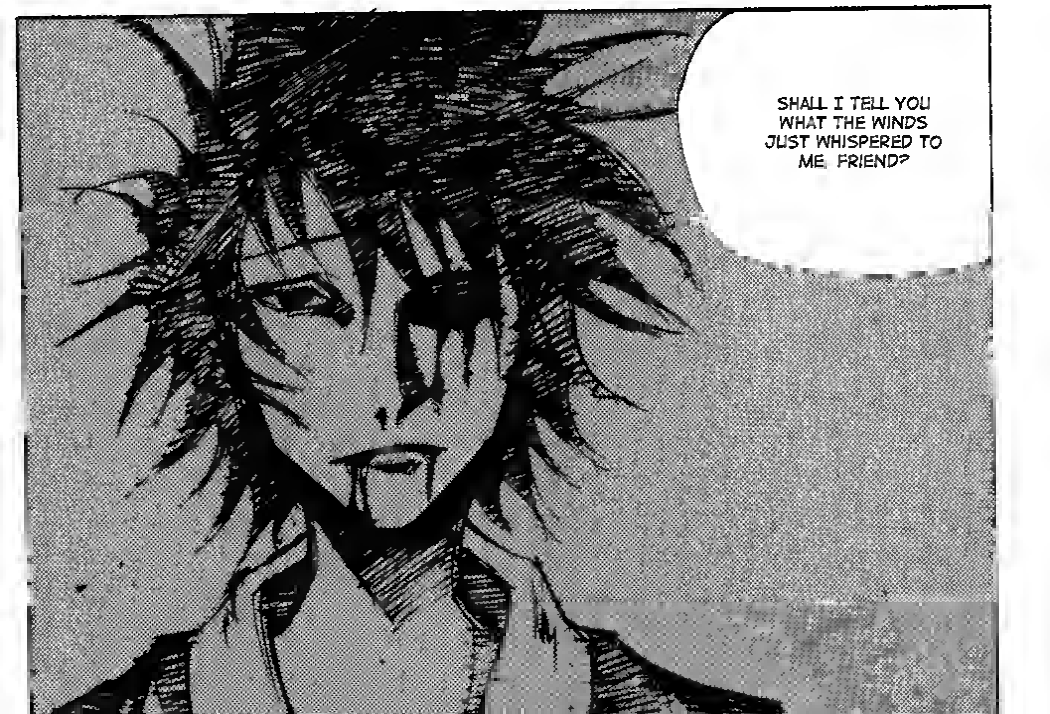
SO MUCH TIME HAS PASSED SINCE THEN. BUT I STILL SEE THAT SAME, WEAK BRAT FROM BACK THEN!!
GODDAMMIT!! WHY IS MY SWORD SO MUCH WORSE THAN HOW I USUALLY AM?!

IF KIRON IS WATCHING NOW FROM HEAVEN ABOVE, HE'S PROBABLY CRYING!! Kuku.
AND LAMENTING, "IS THAT ALL THAT MY DISCIPLE WAS CAPABLE OF?"... Kukuku.


SHALL I TELL YOU WHAT THE WINDS JUST WHISPERED TO ME, FRIEND?

KIRON!! IT SEEMS LIKE THE WINDS WERE LYING AFTER ALL!! WITH HIS SKILLS, IT'LL BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR HIM TO AVENGE YOU
Hahahaha!
KUUK!

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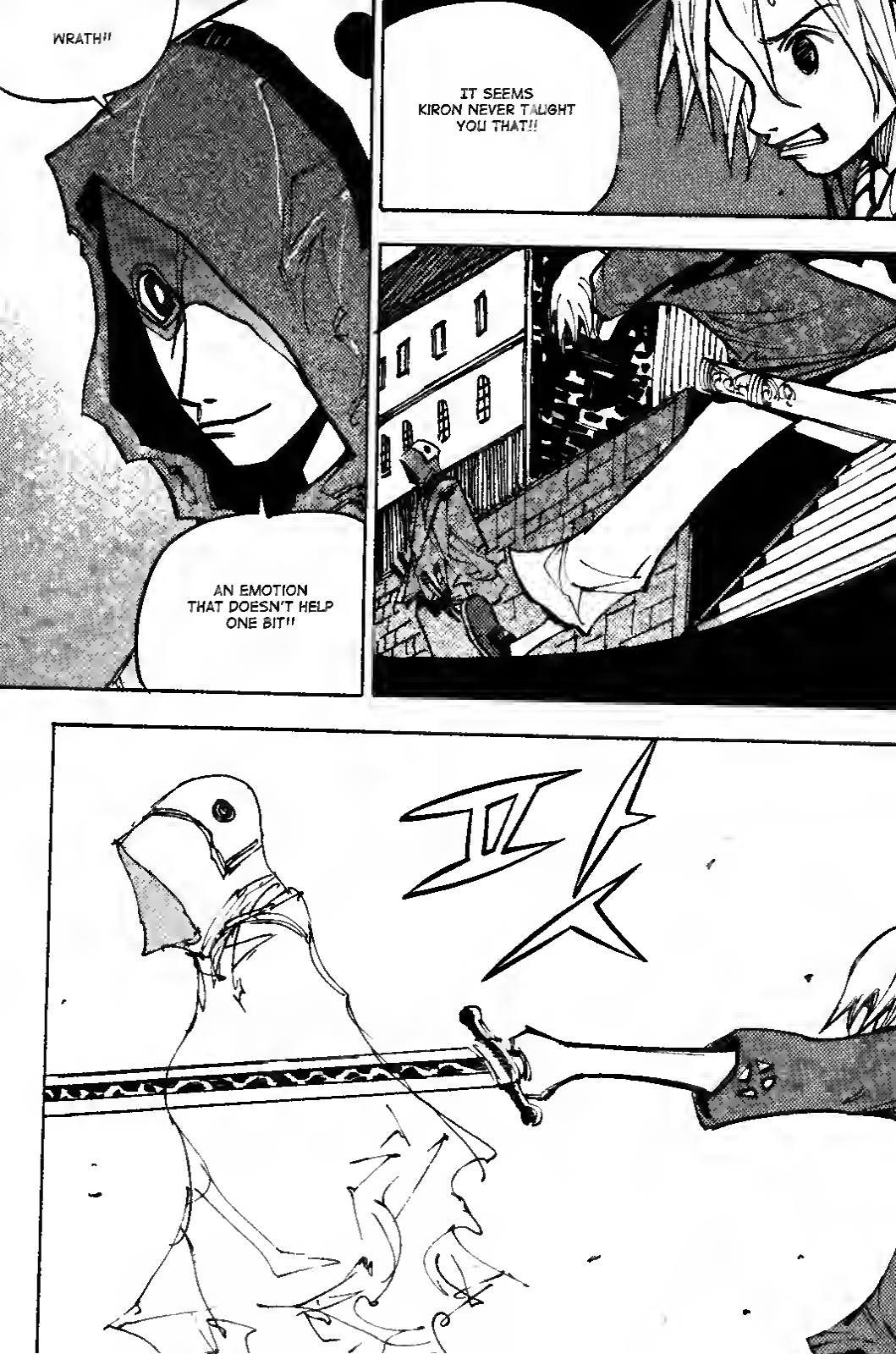
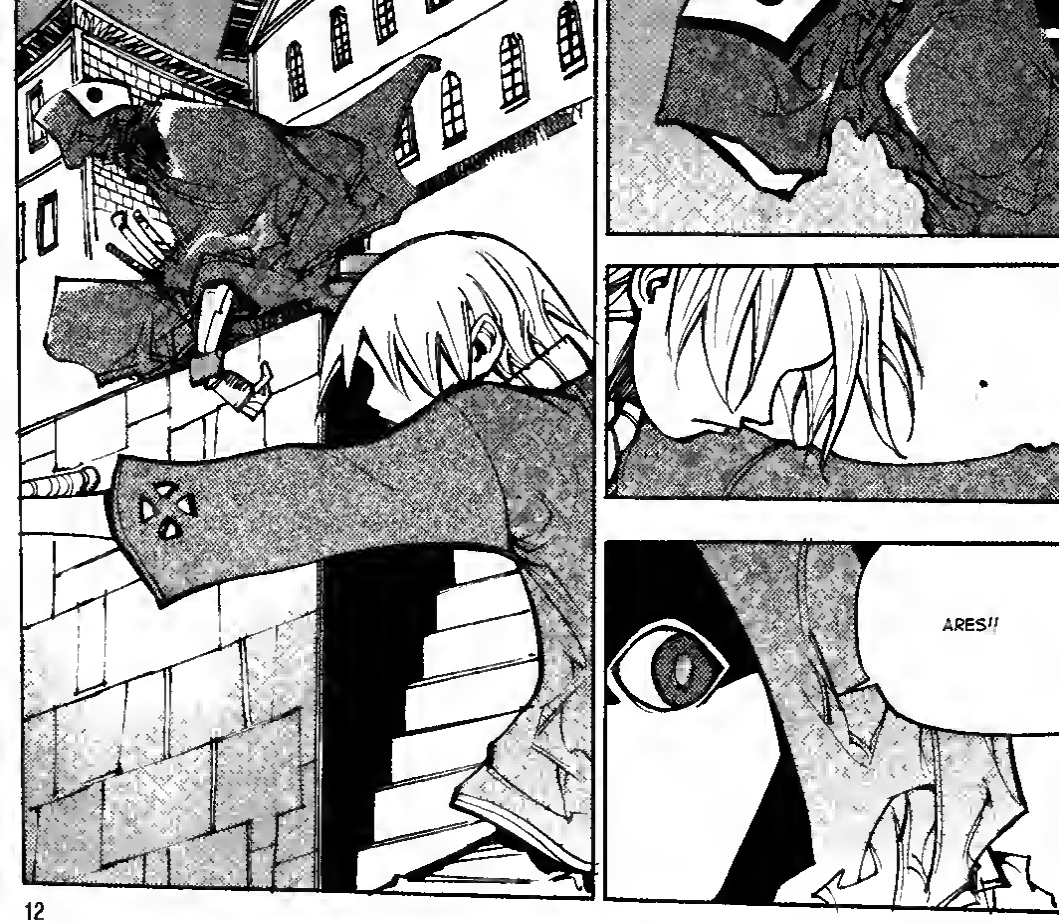

WRATH!!
AN EMOTION THAT DOESN'T HELP ONE BIT!!
IT SEEMS KIRON NEVER TAUGHT YOU THAT!!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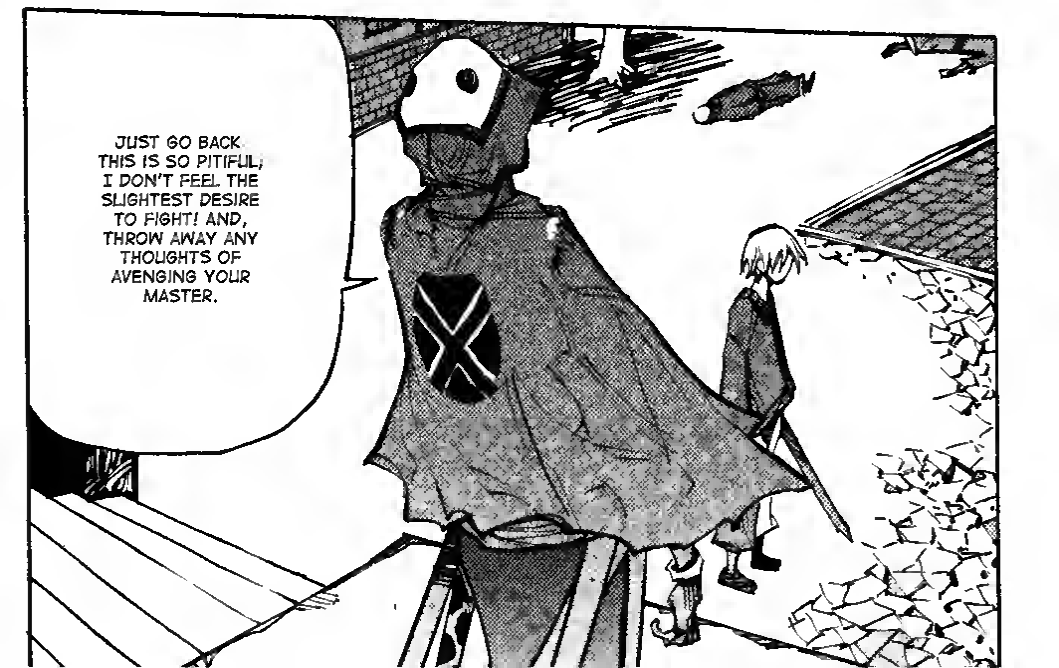
JUST GO BACK. THIS IS SO PITIFUL, I DON'T FEEL THE SLIGHTEST DESIRE TO FIGHT! AND, THROW AWAY ANY THOUGHTS OF AVENGING YOUR MASTER.

WITH YOUR SKILLS AS THEY ARE, 100 YEARS WON'T BE ENOUGH FOR YOU TO DEFEAT ME.
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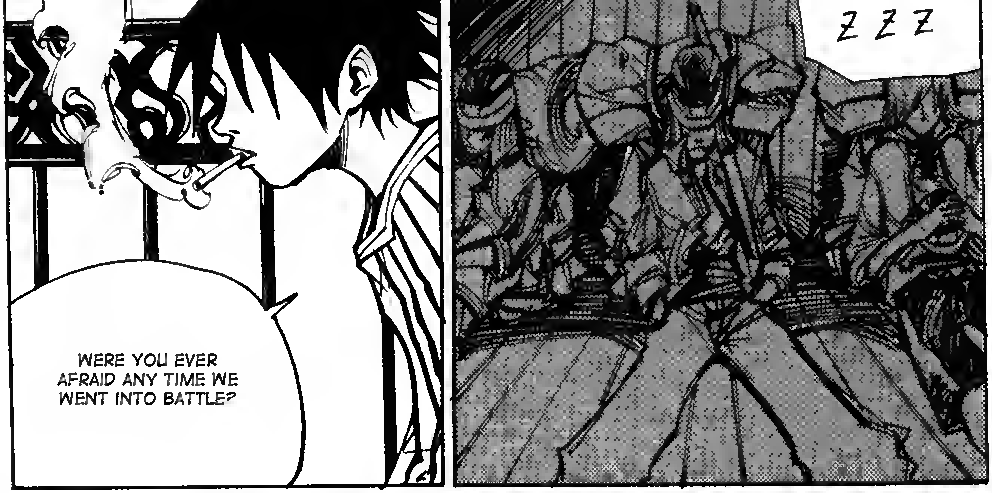
JUST CALM YOURSELF AND FIGHT, ARES!! AND STOP FALLING FOR HIS TAUNTS.


WERE YOU EVER AFRAID ANY TIME WE WENT INTO BATTLE?
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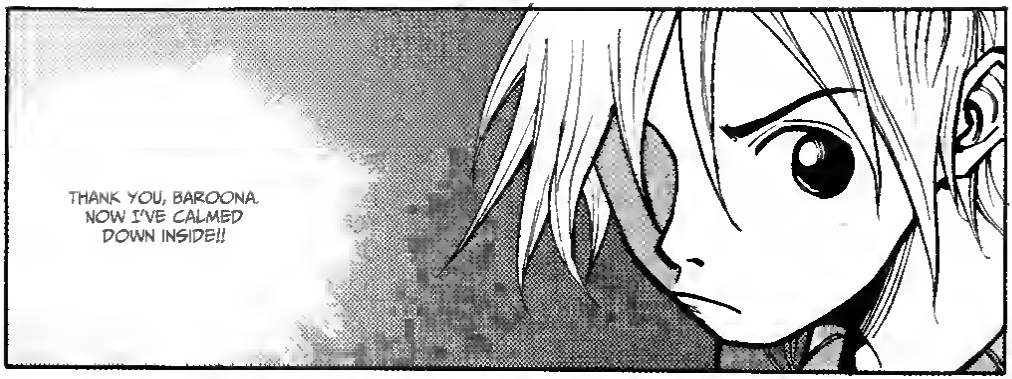
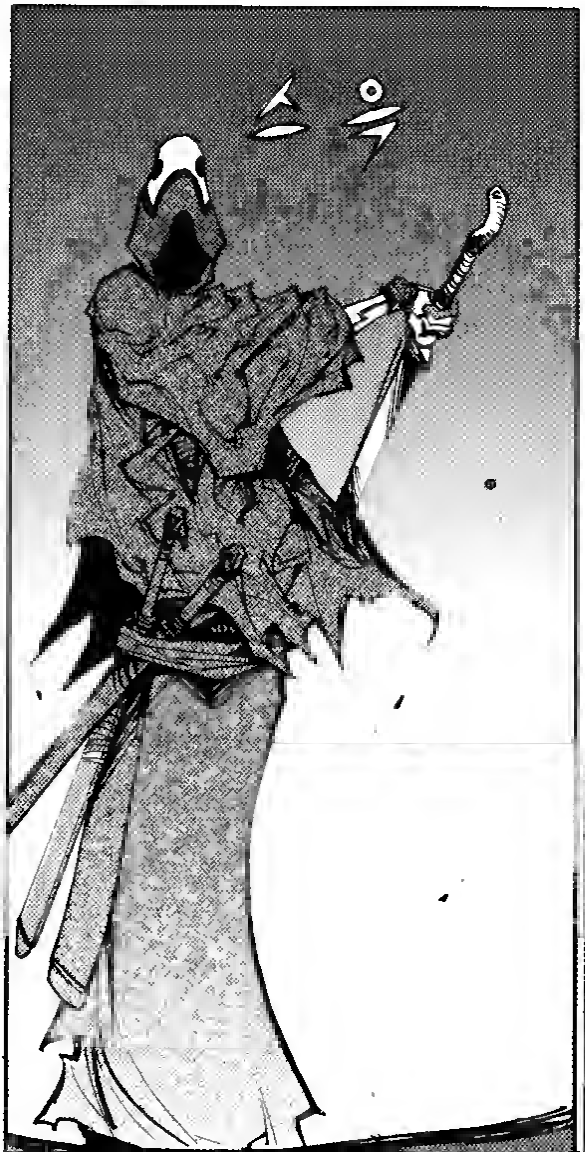
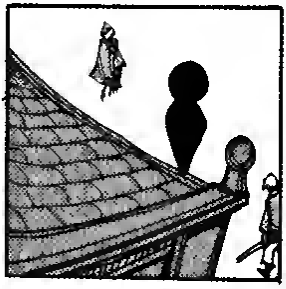
THE GROUP MAY NOT EXIST, BUT WE ARE STILL THE TEMPLE MERCENARIES. THE FACT THAT HE IS YOUR MASTER'S NEMESIS OR THE BEST OF THE ELITE FIGHTERS, YOU NEED TO FORGET ALL THAT AND JUST FIGHT!!
HE IS SIMPLY AN OPPONENT OF OUR MERCENARY GROUP. NOTHING MORE, AND NOTHING LESS!!
WE JUST HAVE TO ELIMINATE ANY OBSTACLES IN OUR WAY!! THE WAY WE'VE ALWAYS DONE.

AND KEEP THIS IN MIND, ARES.
WHEN YOU FIGHT, YOU ARE NOT FIGHTING ALONE. MIKAEL AND I ARE ALWAYS FIGHTING BESIDE YOU...
SINCE I WENT FIRST, NOW IT'S YOUR TURN TO ATTACK, YOU RED-EYED FREAK!!
KUKUKU. A NICE SPEECH THAT IS TOUCHING IN ITS OWN WAY.


THANK YOU, BAROONA.
NOW I'VE CALMED
DOWN INSIDE!!





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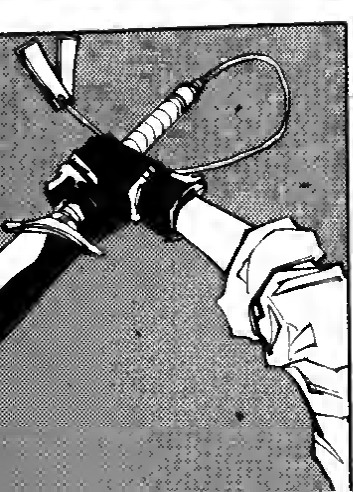

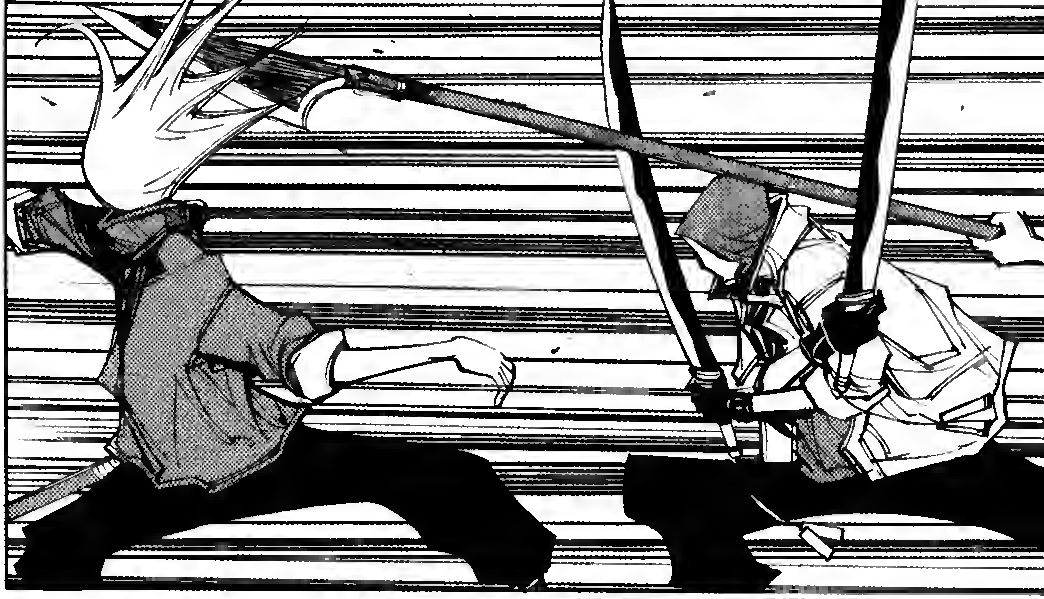

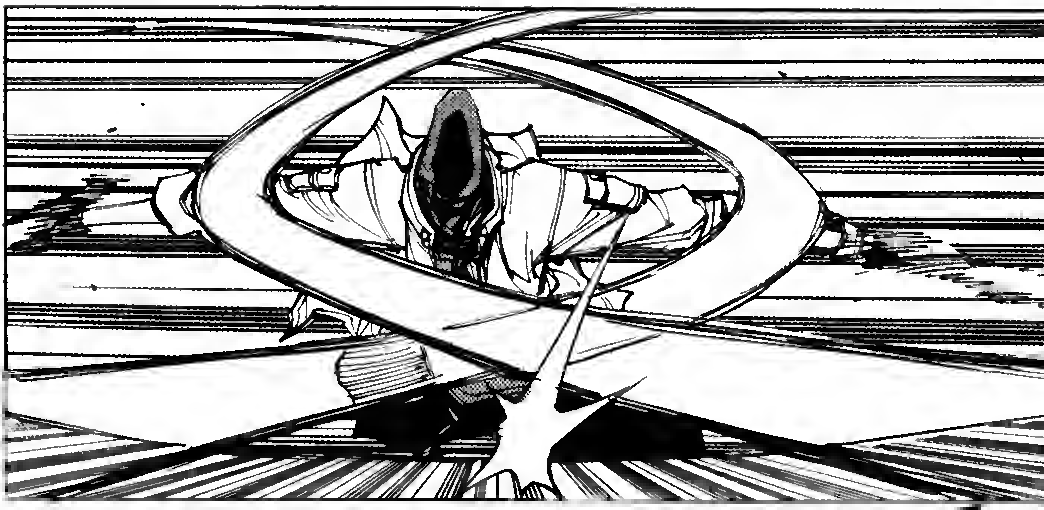

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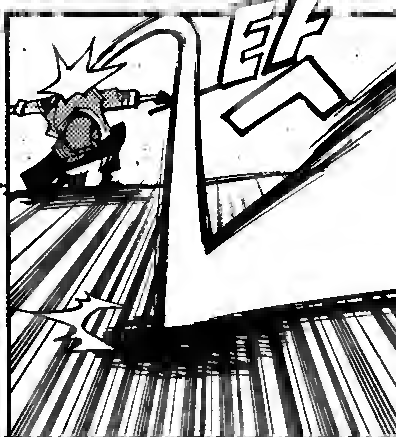
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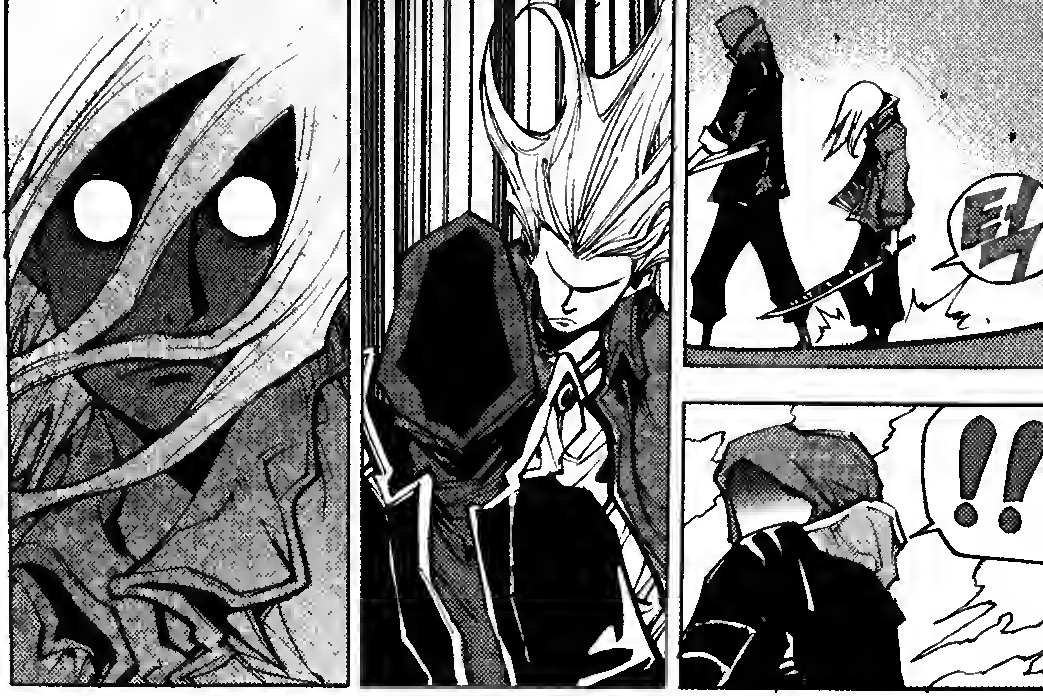

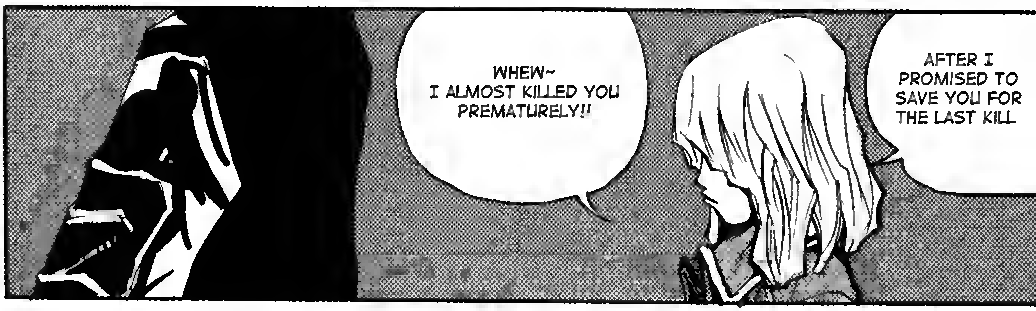
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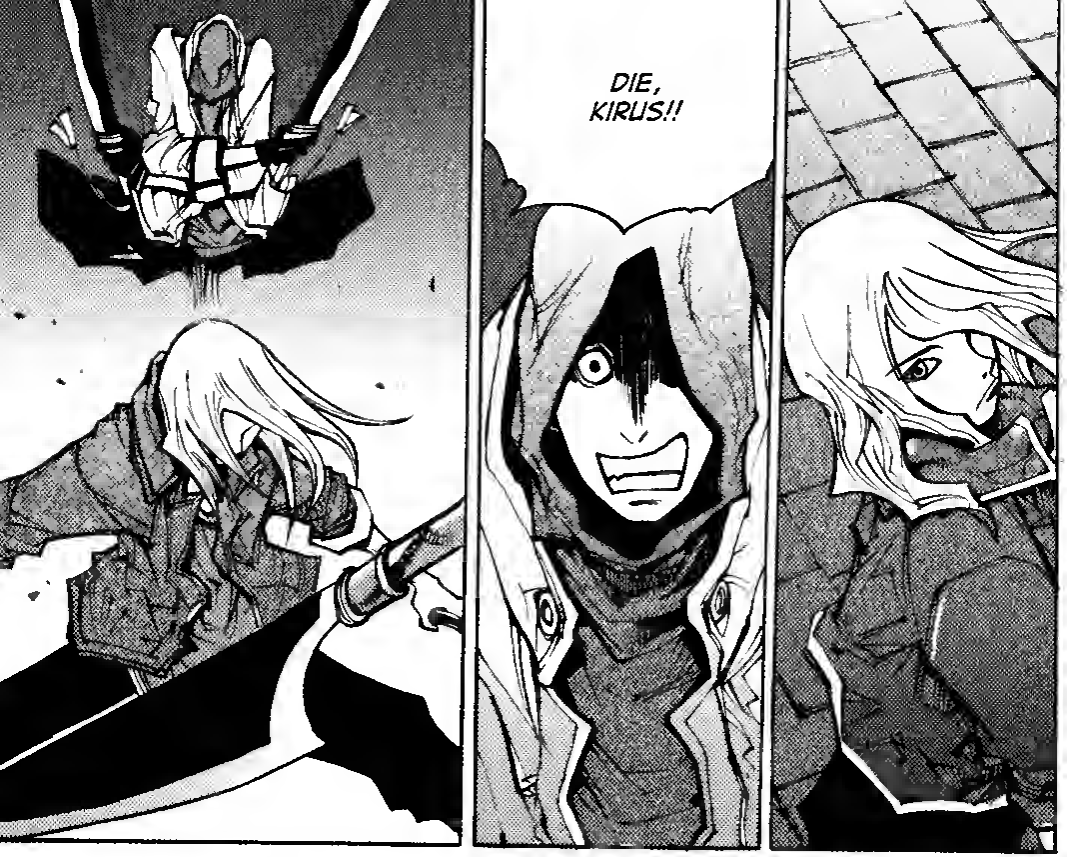
I ALMOST KILLED YOU PREMATURELY!!
AFTER I PROMISED TO SAVE YOU FOR THE LAST KILL


DIE, KIRUS!!

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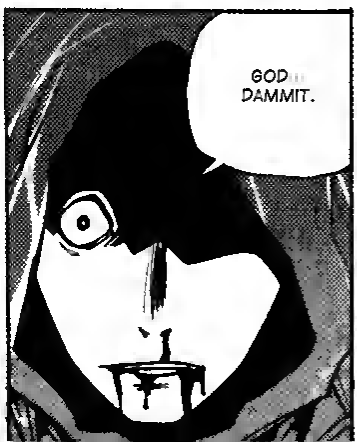
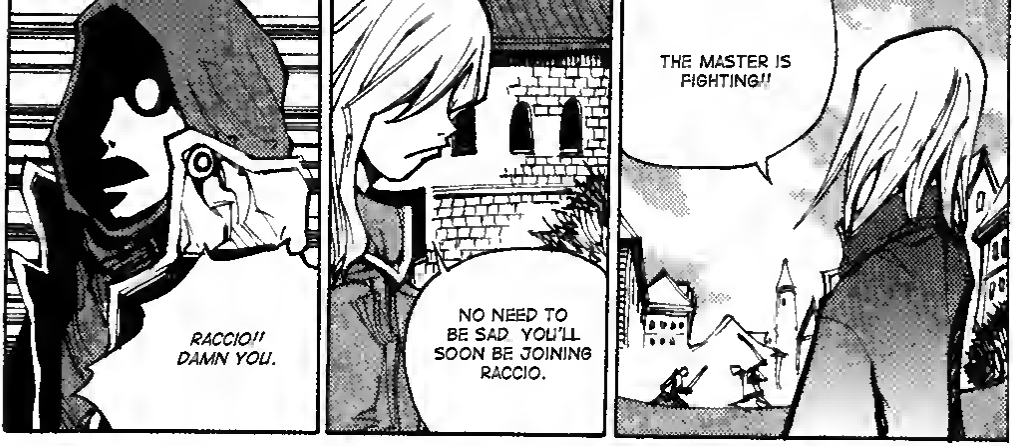
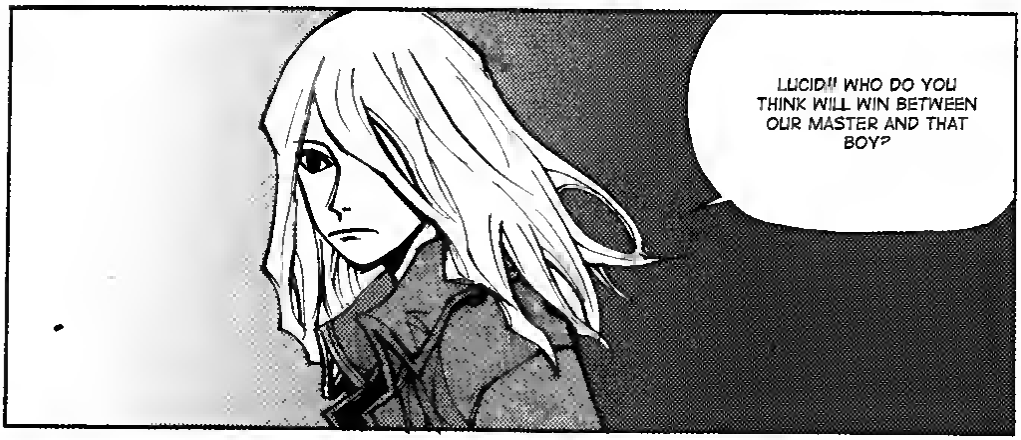
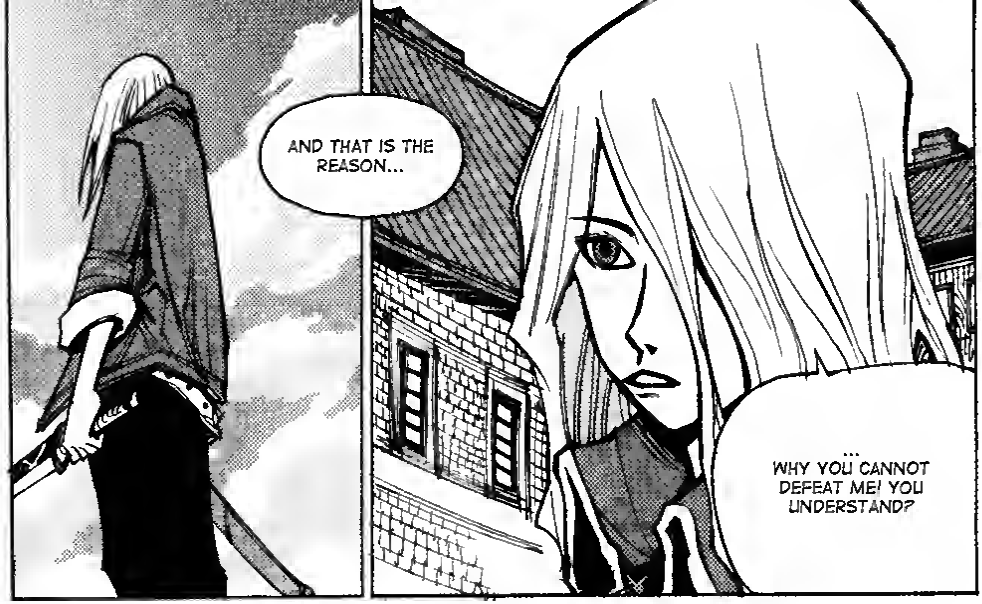



RACCIO!! DAMN YOU.
NO NEED TO BE SAD YOU'LL SOON BE JOINING RACCIO.
THE MASTER IS FIGHTING!!


LUCID!! WHO DO YOU THINK WILL WIN BETWEEN OUR MASTER AND THAT BOY?

IS THAT A SERIOUS QUESTION? OF COURSE THE MASTER WILL WIN!!


AND THAT IS THE REASON...
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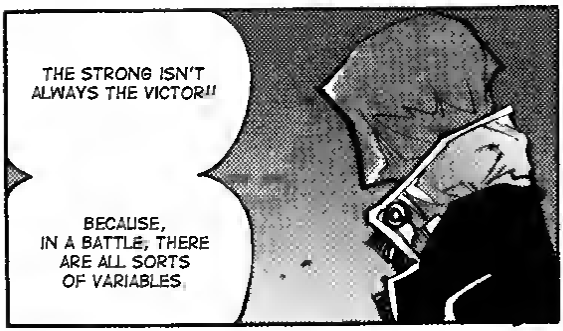
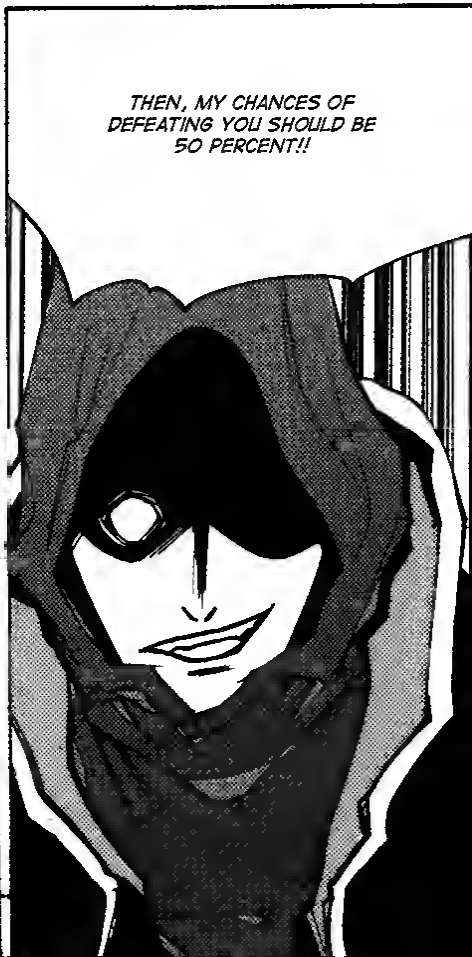
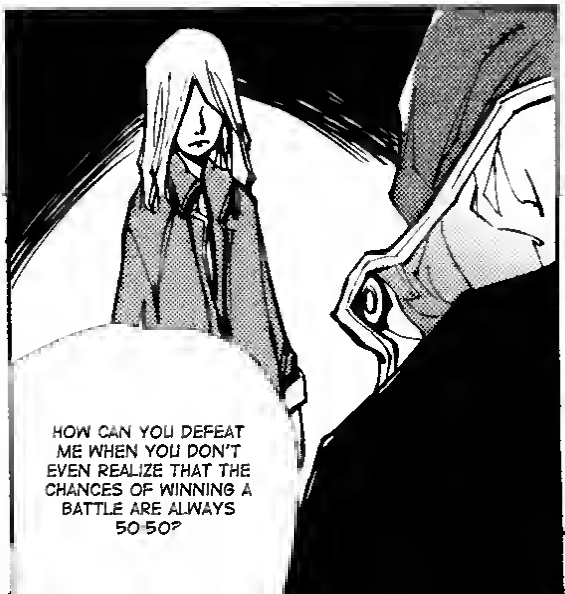
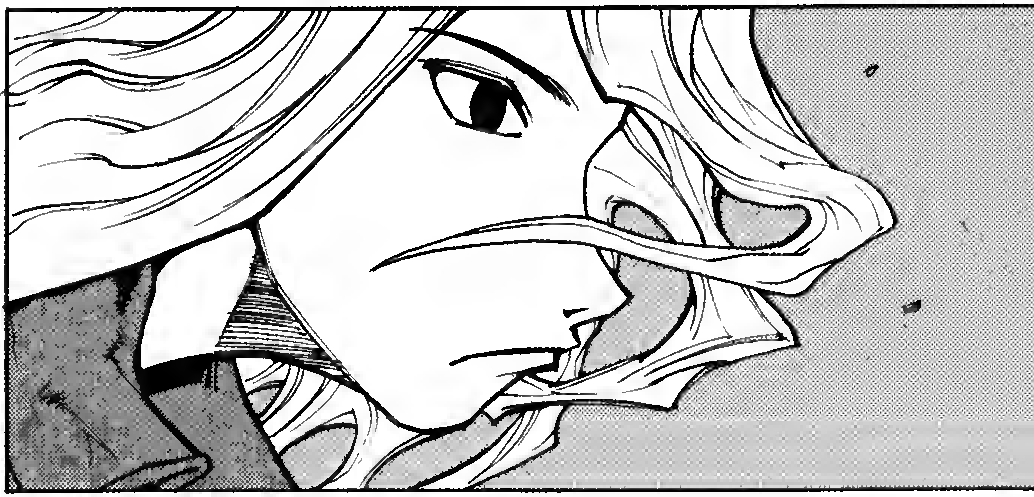
WHY YOU CANNOT DEFEAT ME! YOU UNDERSTAND?

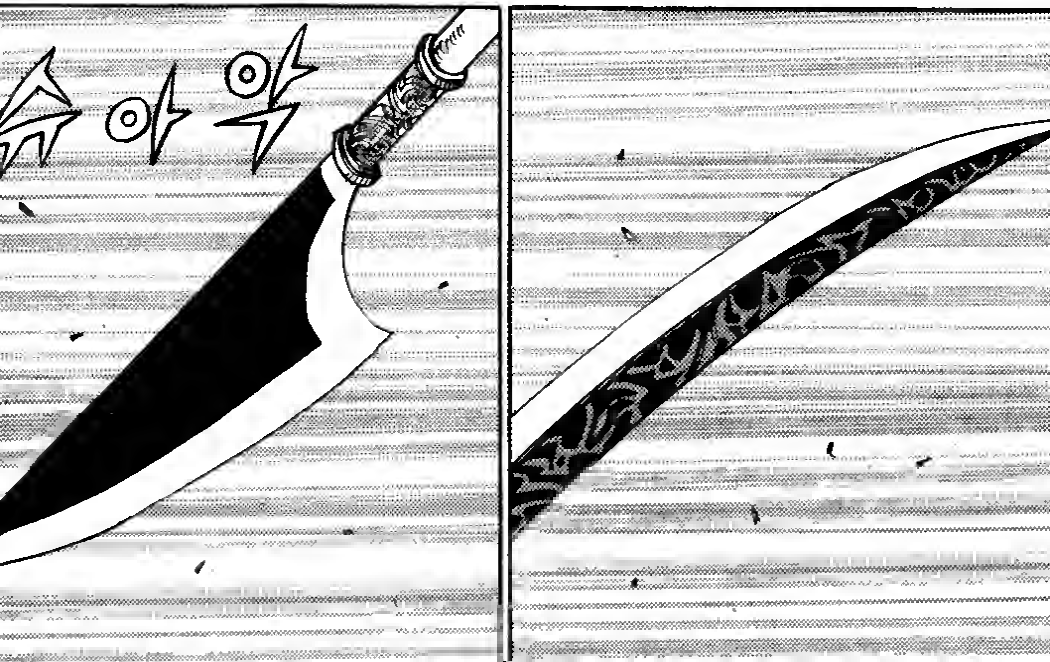

THE STRONG ISN'T ALWAYS THE VICTOR!!
BECAUSE, IN A BATTLE, THERE ARE ALL SORTS OF VARIABLES


THEN, MY CHANCES OF DEFEATING YOU SHOULD BE 50 PERCENT!!


HOW CAN YOU DEFEAT ME WHEN YOU DON'T EVEN REALIZE THAT THE CHANCES OF WINNING A BATTLE ARE ALWAYS 50:50?

OF COURSE!!

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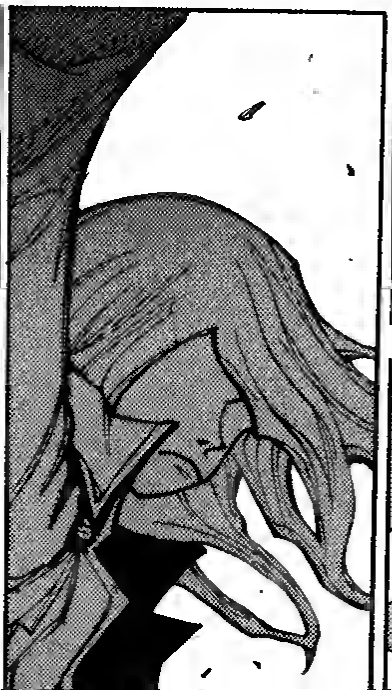

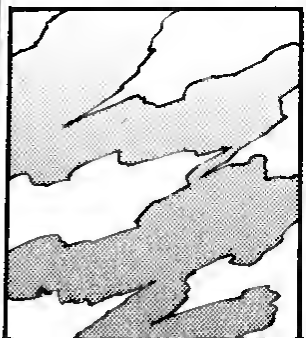

BUT I CHANGE MY 50 TO A 51, WHILE YOU CAN'T KEEP YOUR 50 AND END UP WITH 49.
WHY??
JUST WHY??
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WHY? WHY CAN'T I BEAT YOU!!!
I... I SWING MY LANCE EVERYDAY TILL MY HANDS BLEED, I TRY HARDER THAN ANYONE ELSE.
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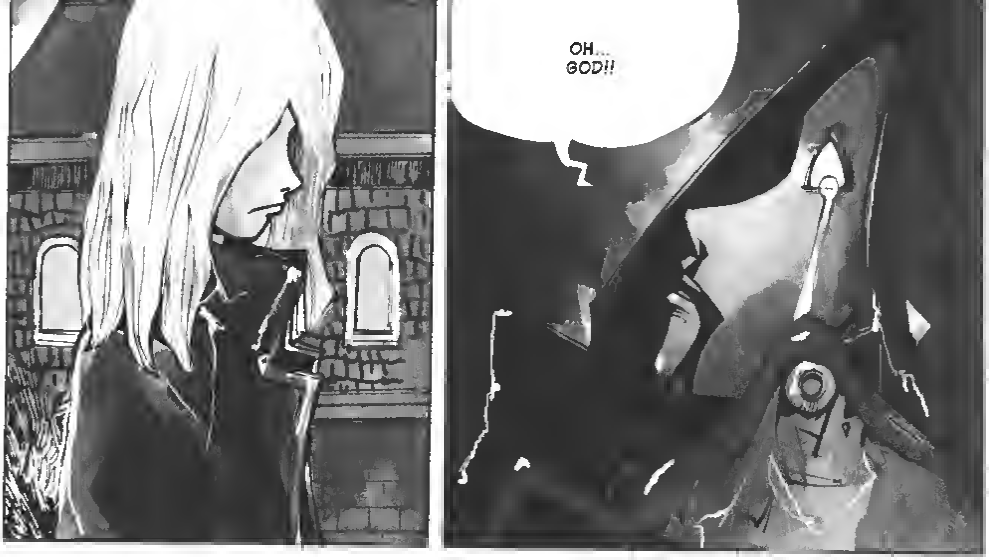
SO WHY IS IT THAT I CAN'T BEAT YOU YOU WHO PLAY AROUND EVERYDAY...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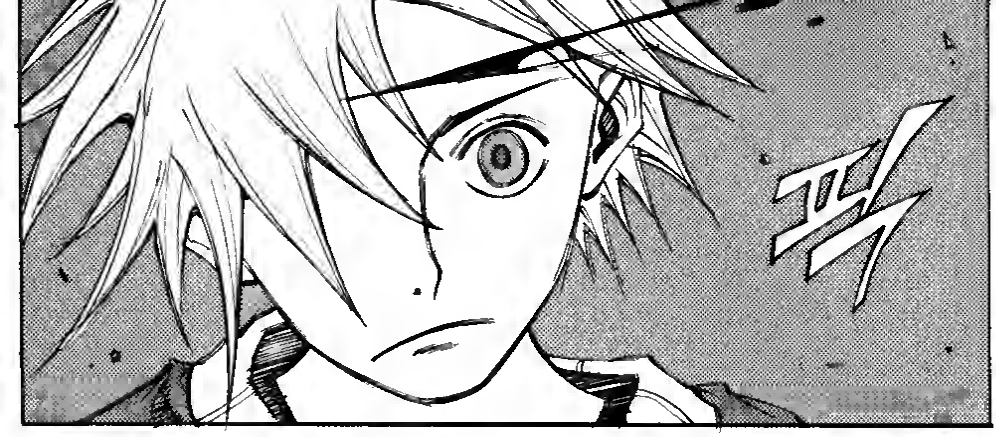
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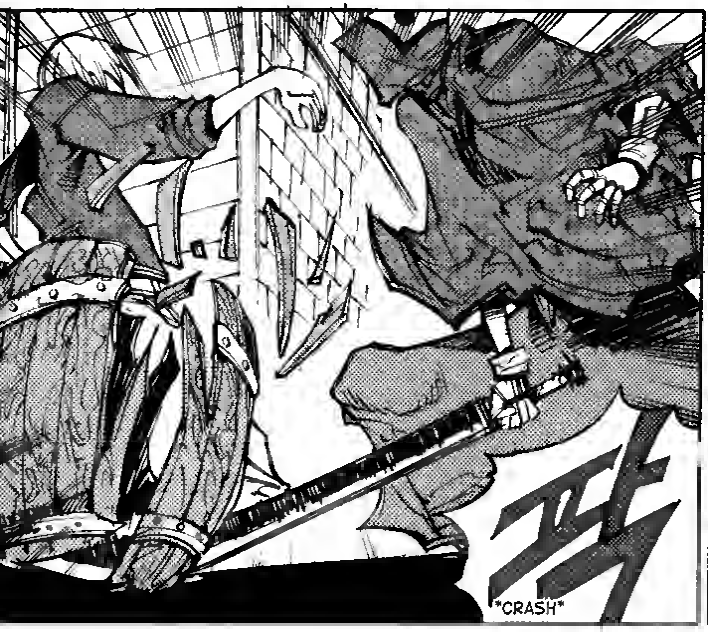
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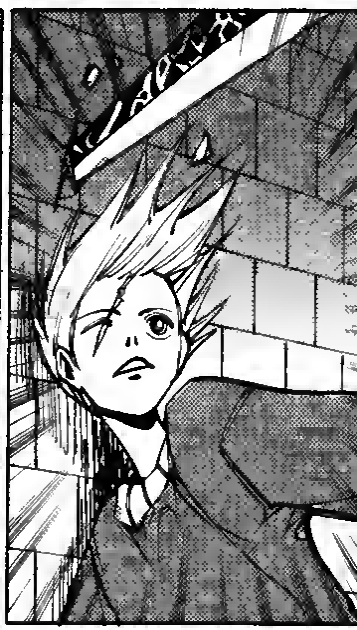

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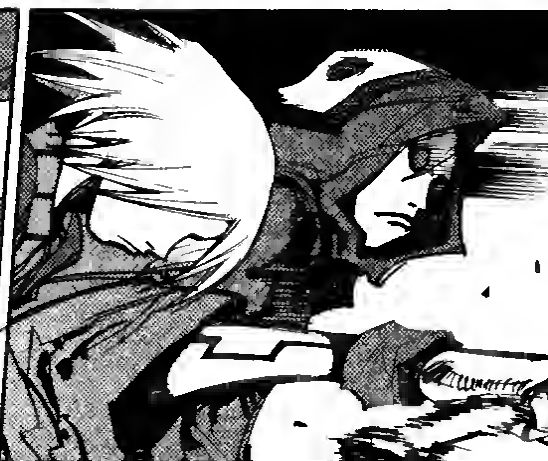

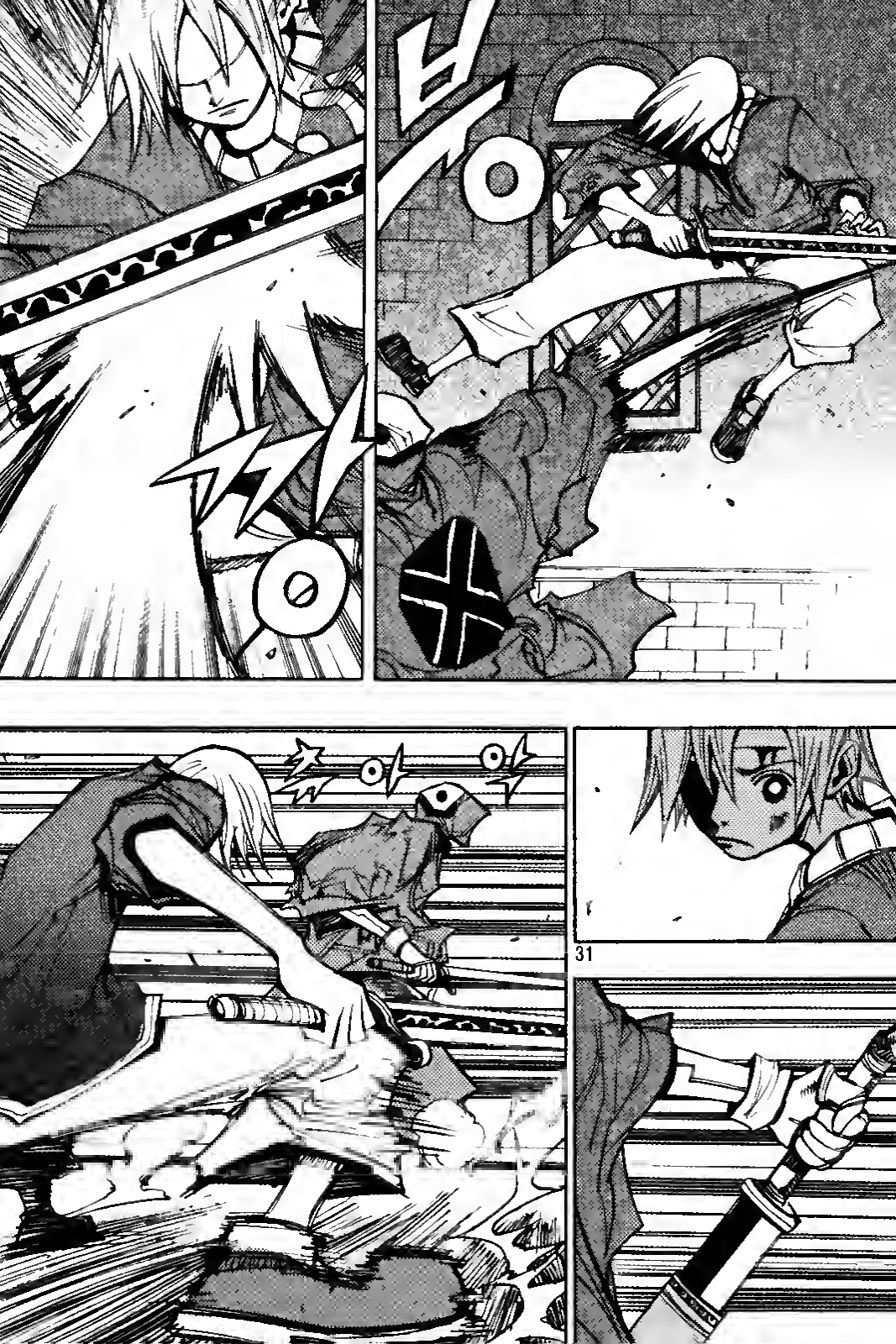
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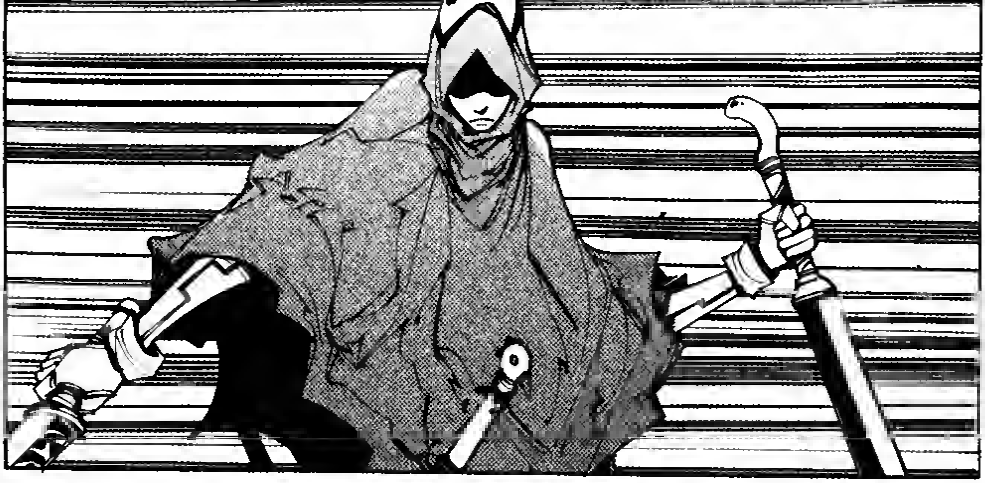

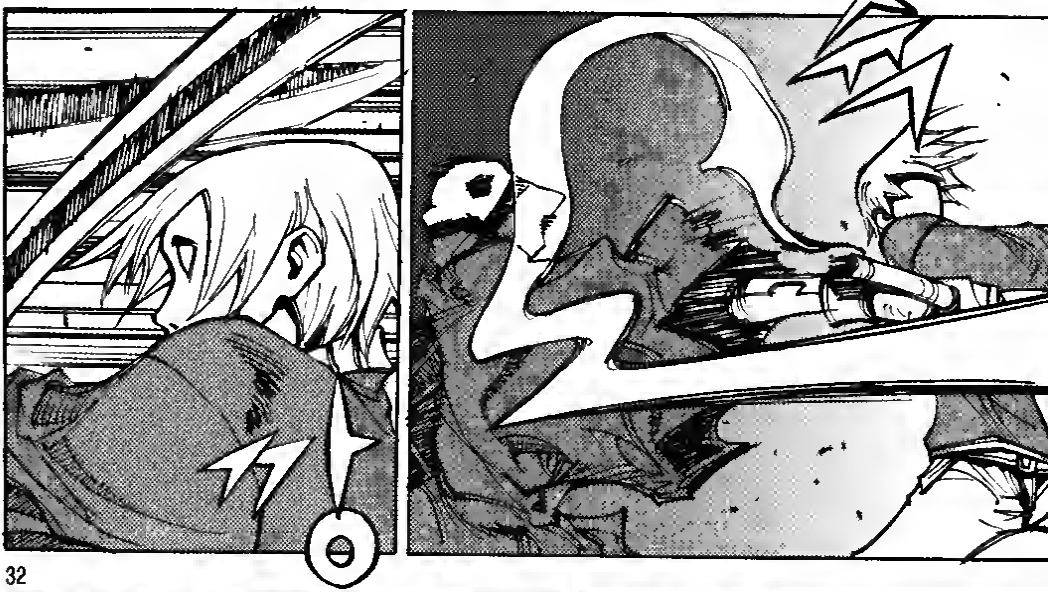

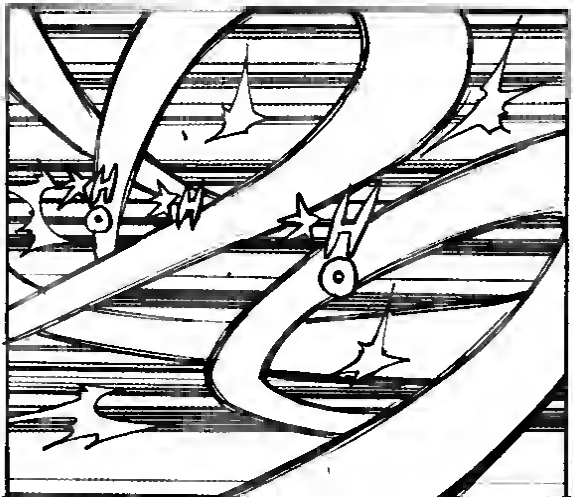

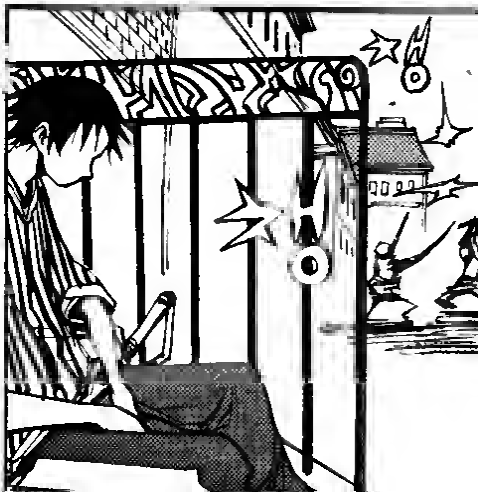

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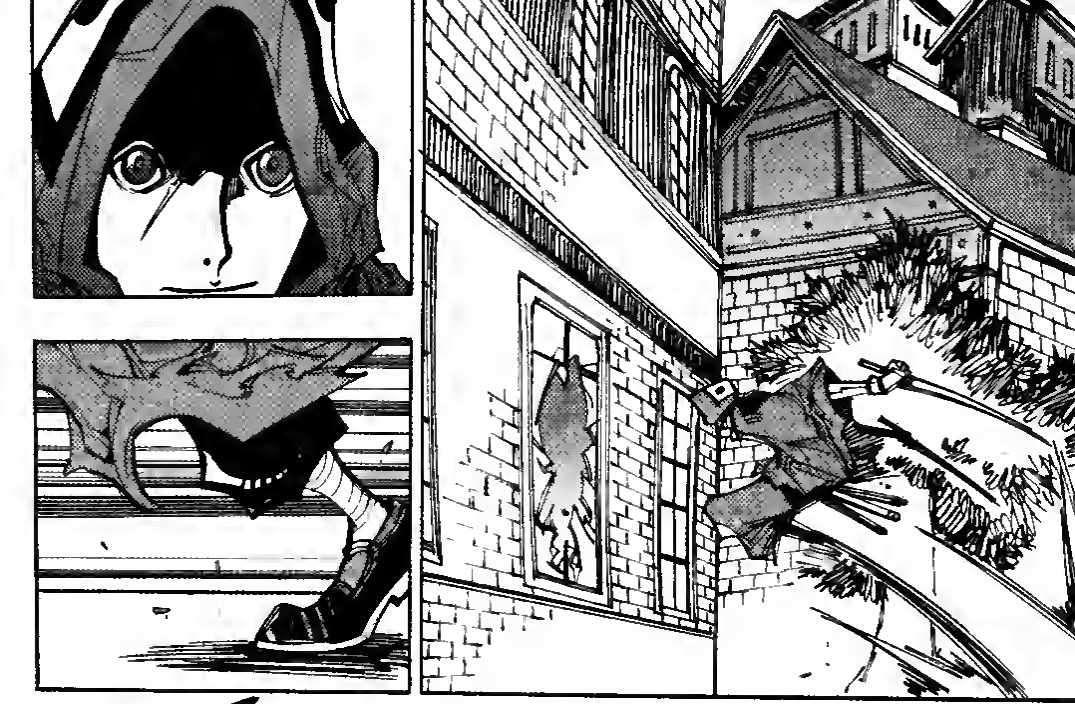

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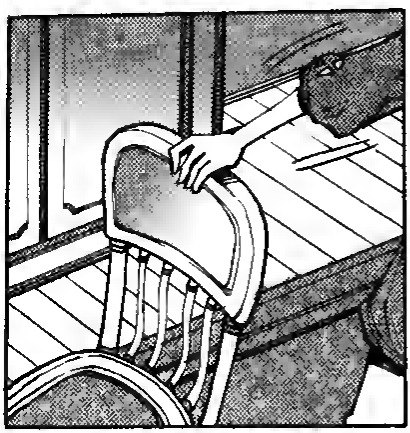

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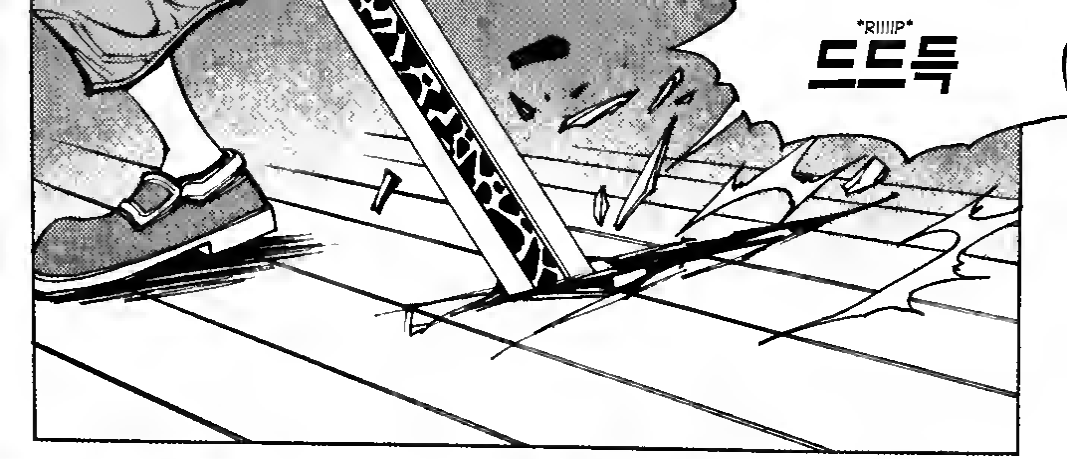
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YOU SNEAKY BRAT!!

KIRON WASN'T LIKE THIS. I GUESS THE MASTER AND DISCIPLE ARE TOTALLY DIFFERENT!!
WHEN MY ENEMY FIGHTS CLEAN, I FIGHT CLEAN; BUT WHEN MY ENEMY FIGHTS DIRTY,
I FIGHT REEEAAAALLLY DIRTY.
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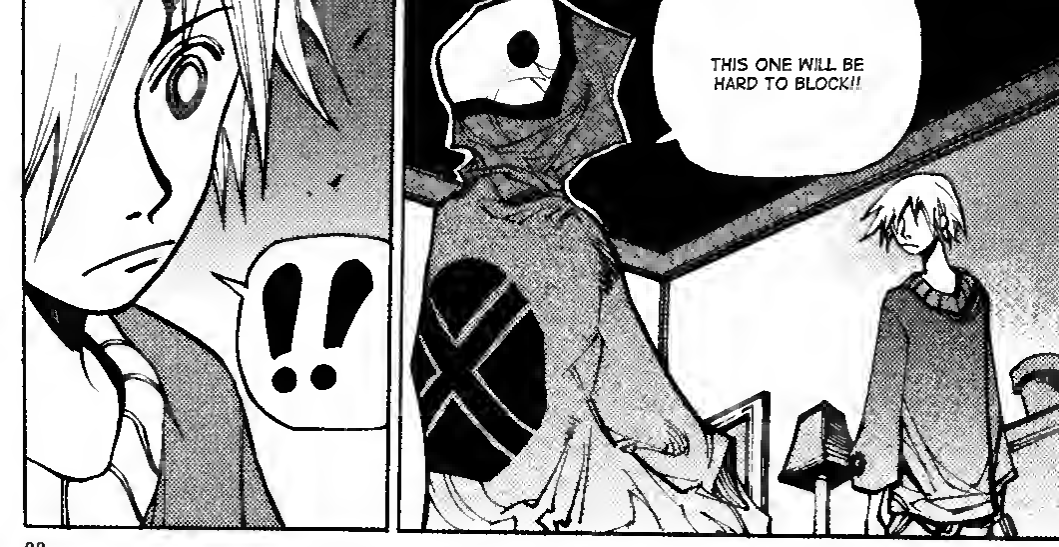
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THIS ONE WILL BE HARD TO BLOCK!!

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DON'T WORRY!! I HAVE NO INTENTION OF FIGHTING YOU.
AREN'T YOU GOING TO HELP ARES? IT LOOKED LIKE HE HAD HIS HANDS FULL FIGHTING MY MASTER ALONE.

HE'S FIGHTING TO AVENGE HIS MASTER'S DEATH, SO I DON'T WANT TO BUTT IN... THAT'S A FIGHT BETWEEN THOSE TWO ONLY.

TO MY EARS, THAT SOUNDS LIKE A LIE!!
IT LOOKS TO ME LIKE YOU'RE READY TO JUMP RIGHT IN IF ARES FALLS INTO MORTAL DANGER.
THINK WHATEVER YOU WANT!!
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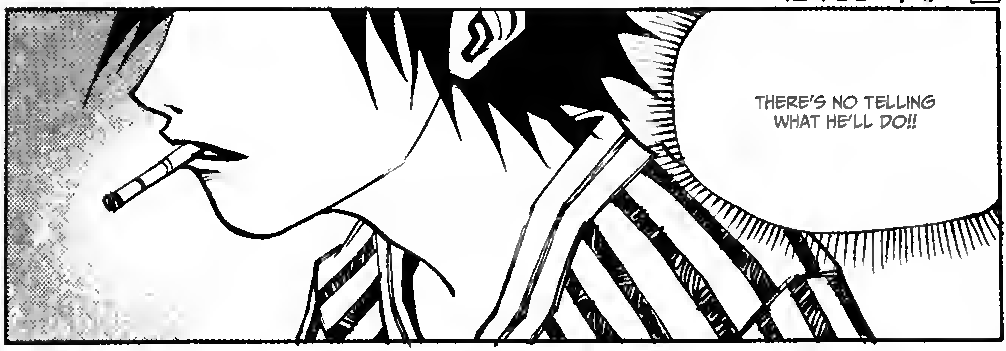
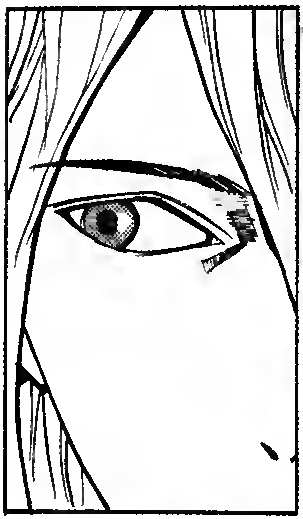
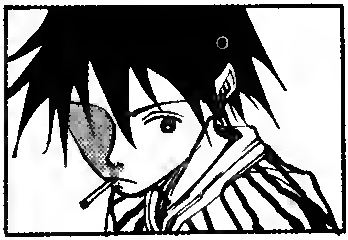
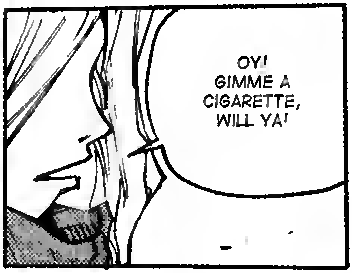
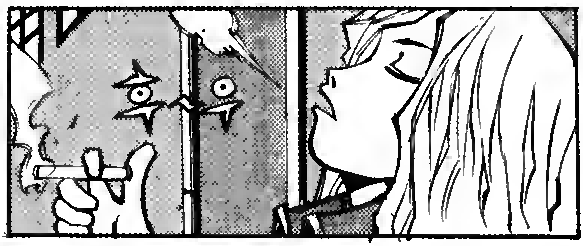
WHAT A STRANGE GUY. I HAVE NO IDEA WHETHER HE PLANS TO ATTACK ME OR NOT!
EVEN IF HE DIDN'T GET ALONG WITH THE OTHER DISCIPLES, HE'S STILL THE RED-EYED SWORDSMAN'S NUMBER ONE PUPIL!!

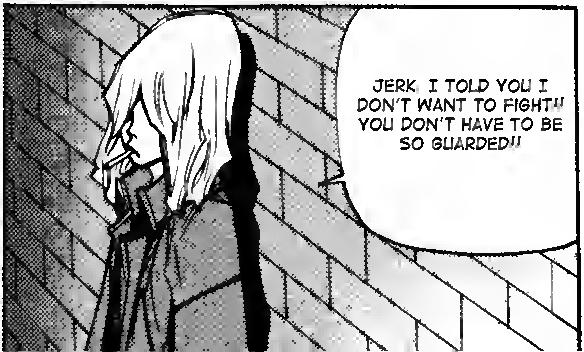

THERE'S NO TELLING WHAT HE'LL DO!!





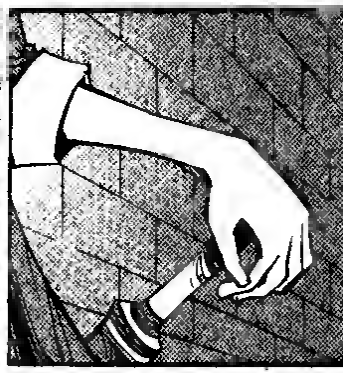

OY! GIMME A CIGARETTE, WILL YA!

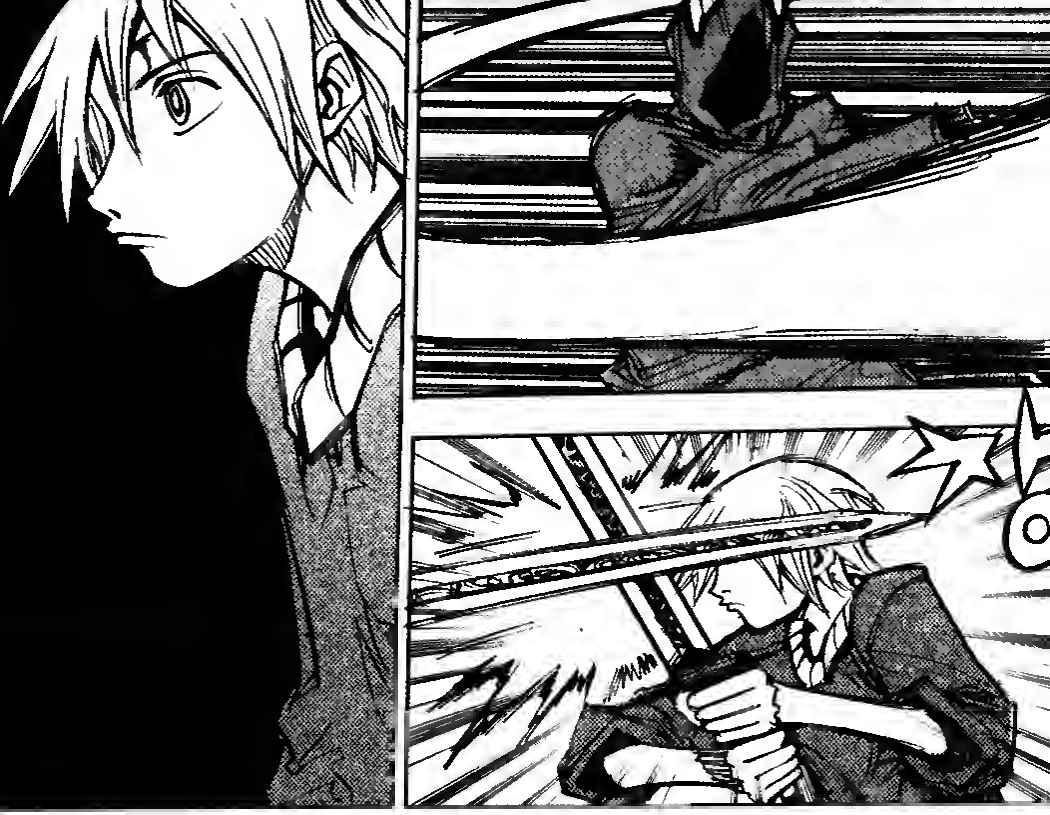


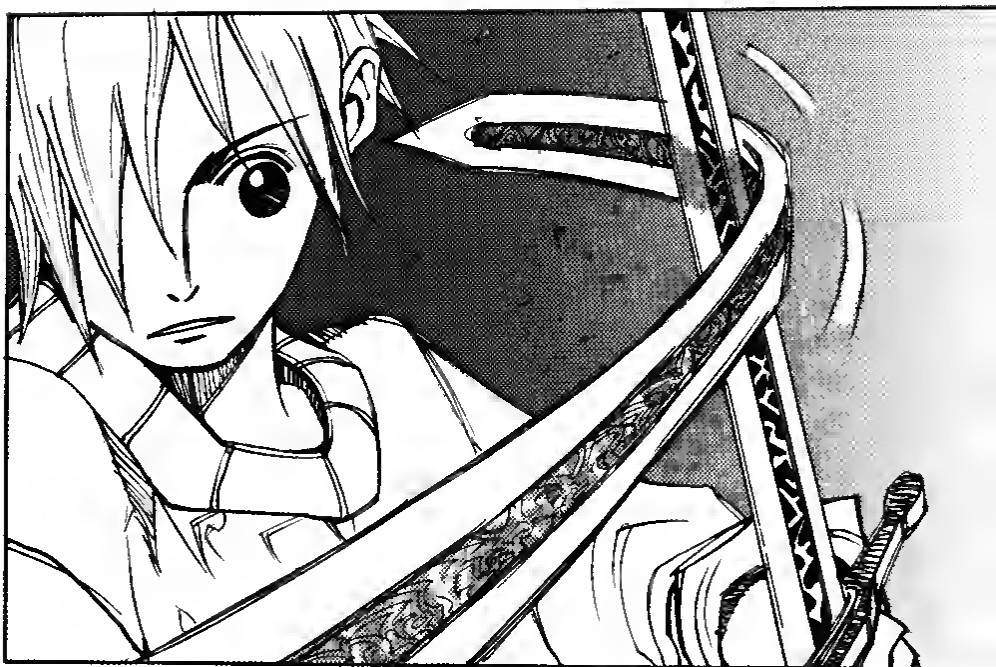

JERK. I TOLD YOU I DON'T WANT TO FIGHT!! YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE SO GUARDED!!

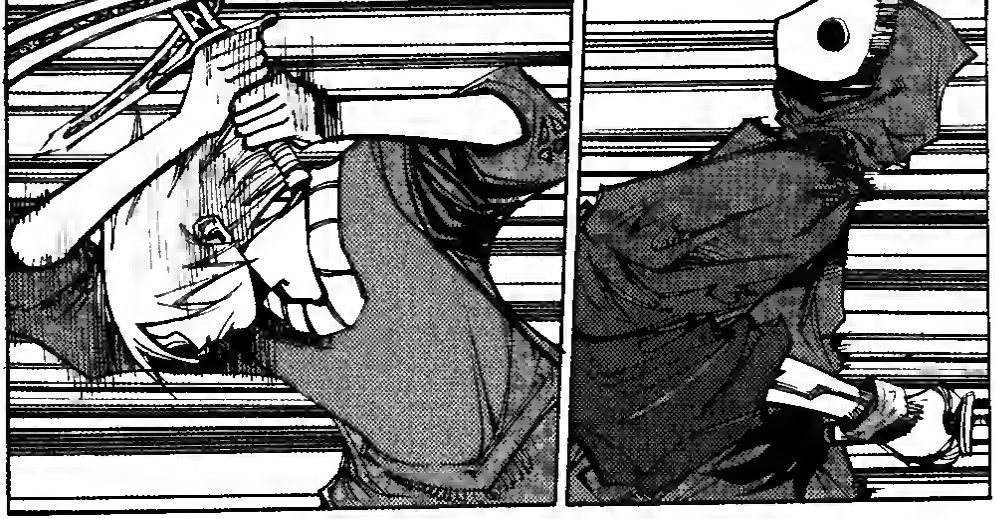
NO MATTER WHAT, HE'S STILL MY MASTER, SO I HAVE TO AT LEAST SAY GOODBYE BEFORE LEAVING!

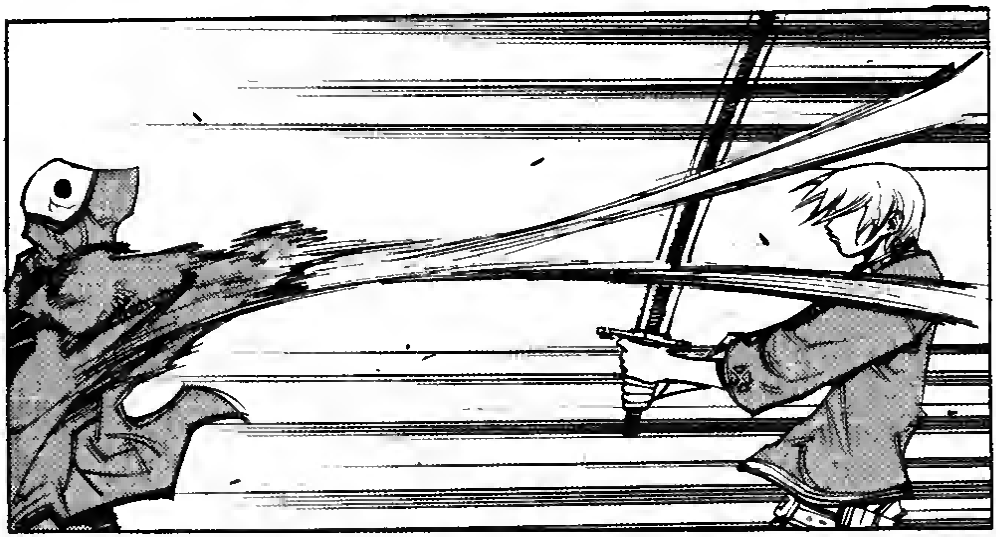
HE'S JUST TRYING TO MAKE ME LOWER MY GUARD!!

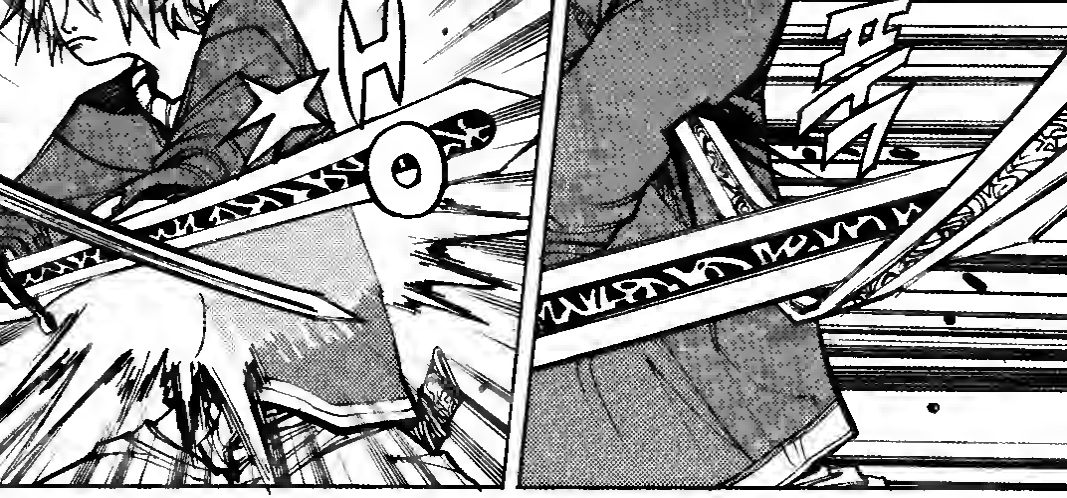




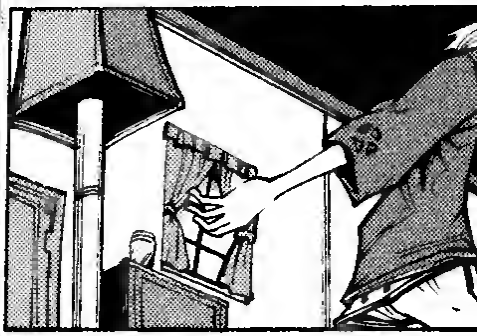


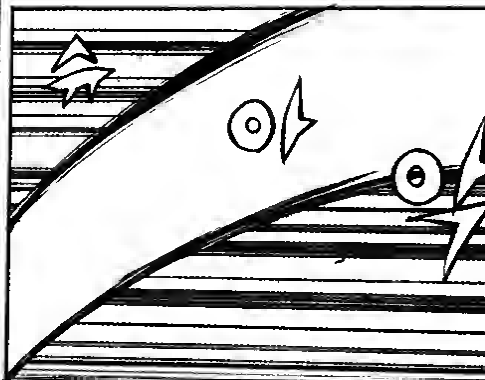


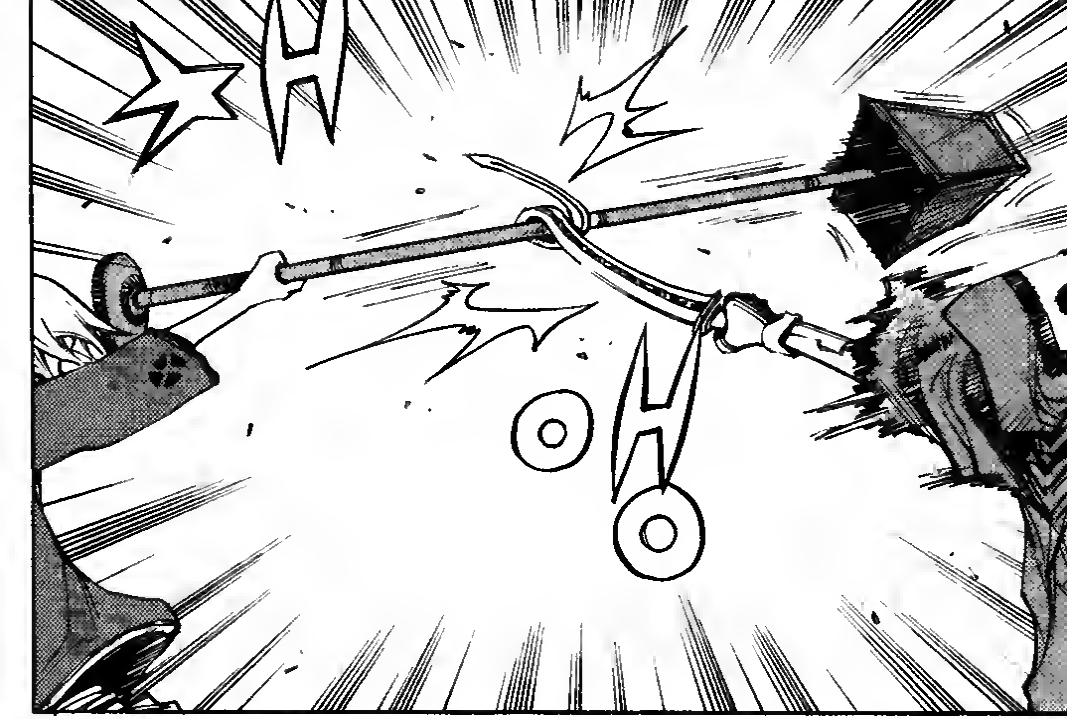




[*- ARES CALLS IT LITERALLY "SQUID SWORD"]



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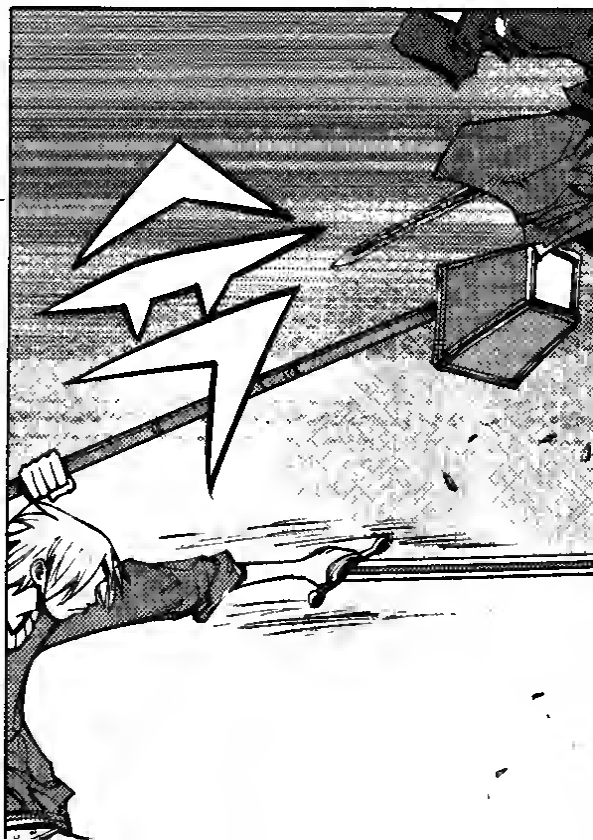

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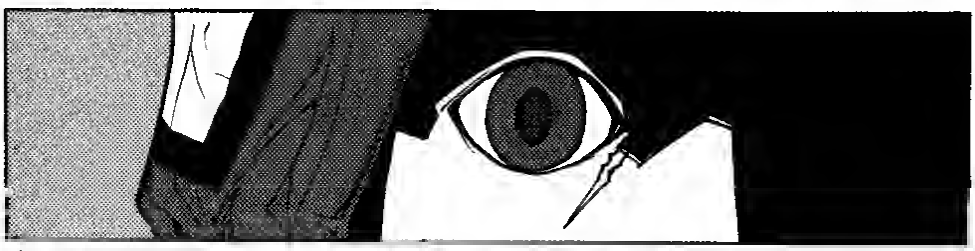
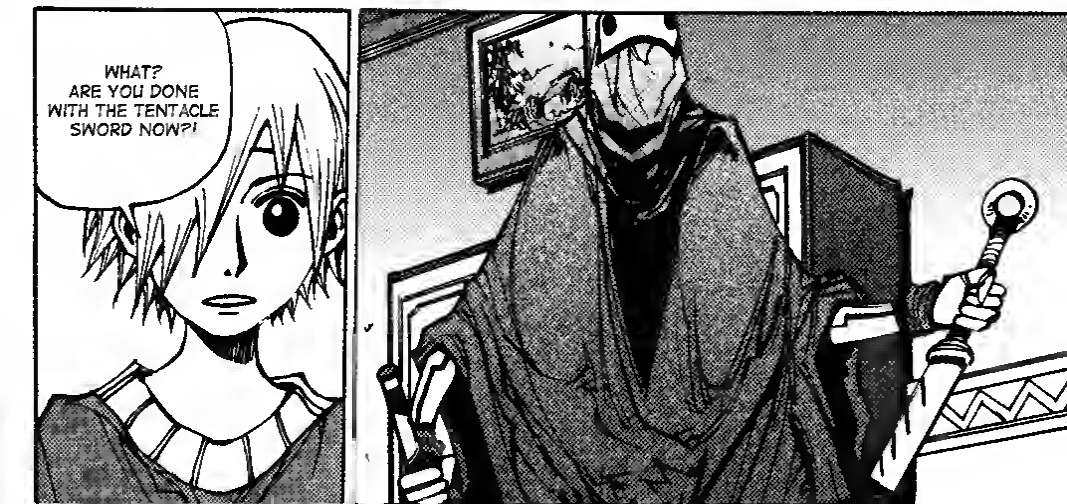
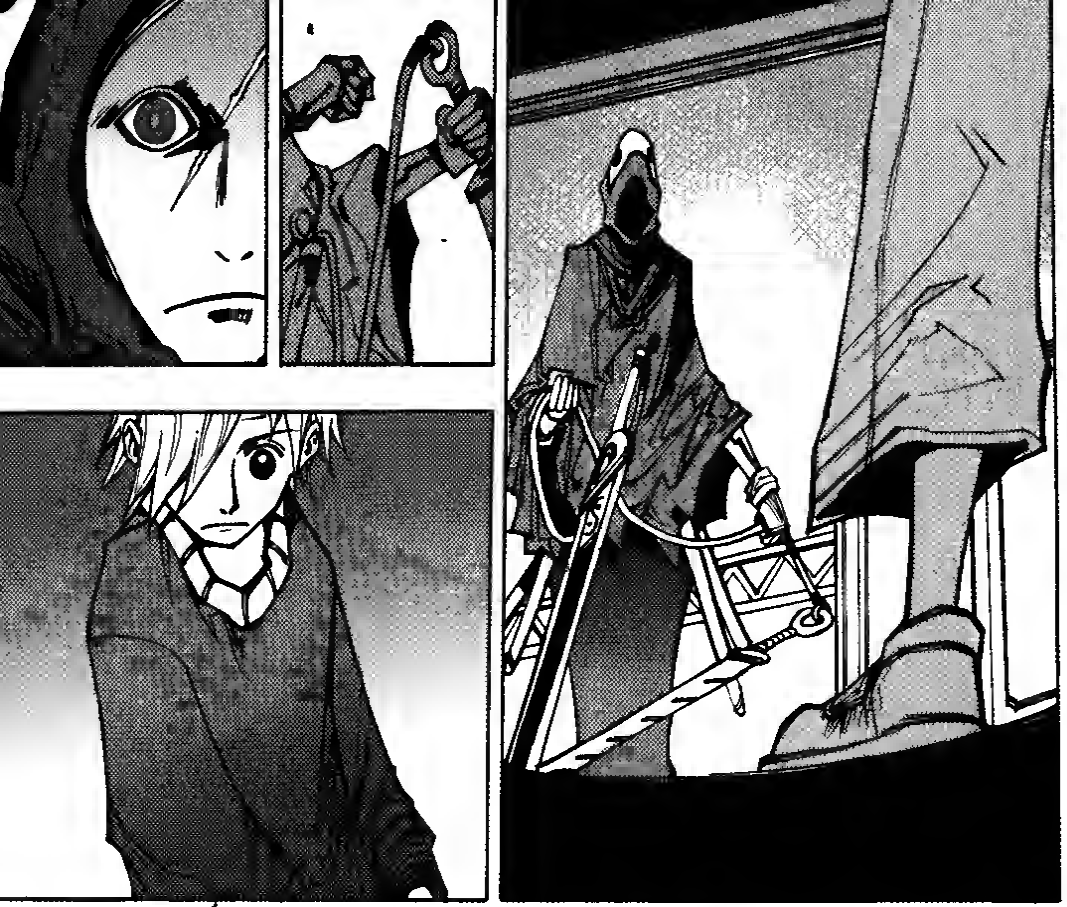
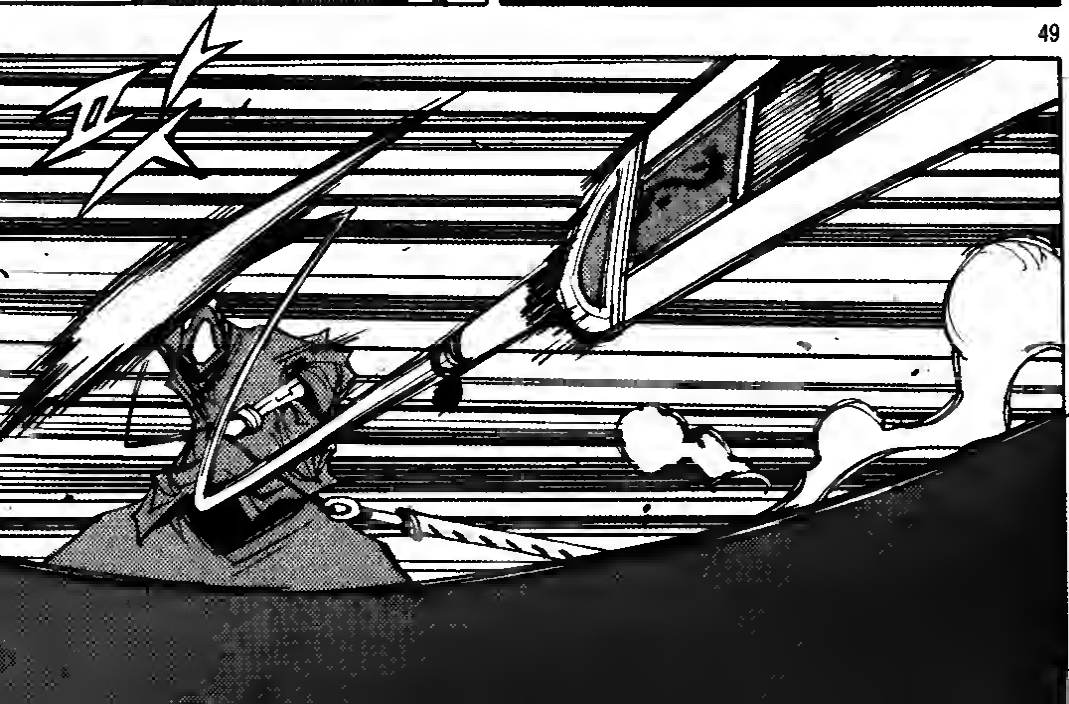



WHAT? ARE YOU DONE WITH THE TENTACLE SWORD NOW?!





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AH, SHIT!!
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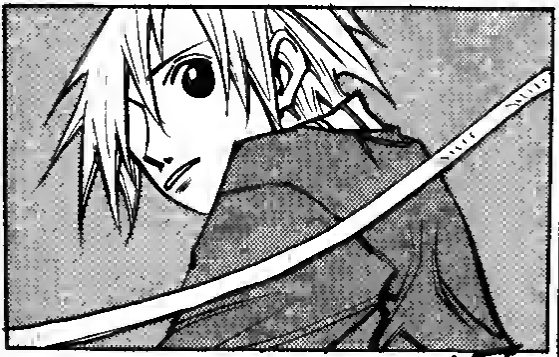
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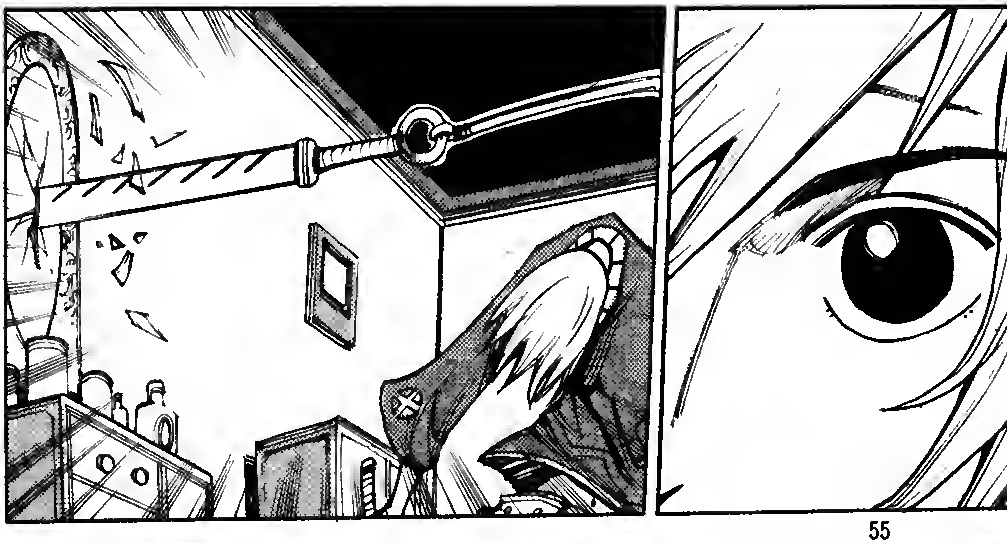

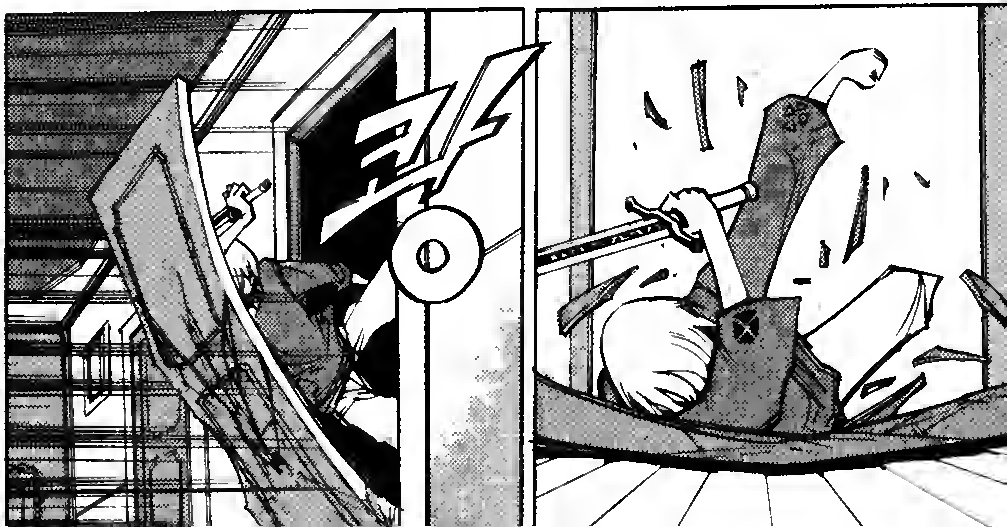

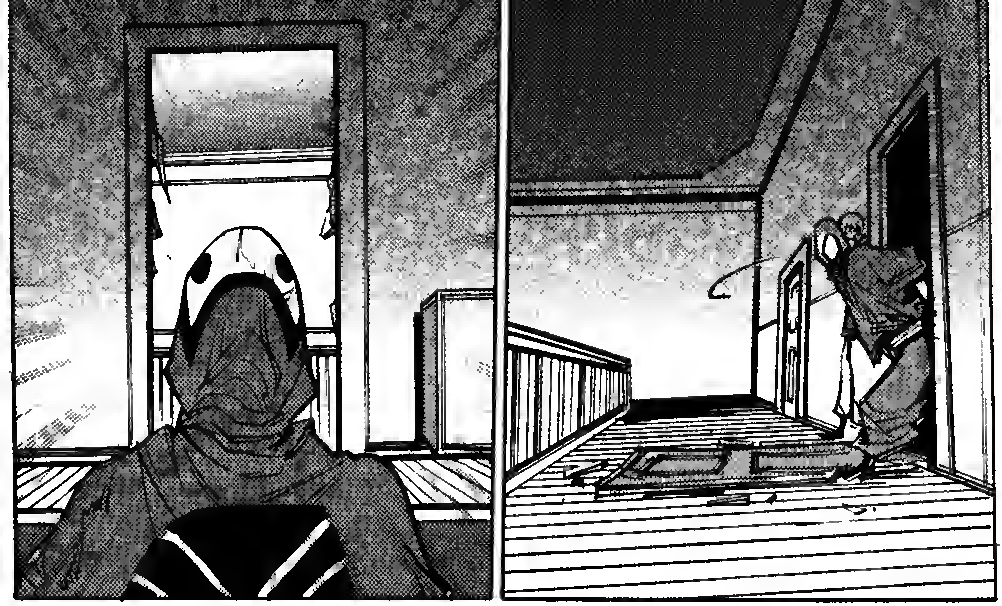

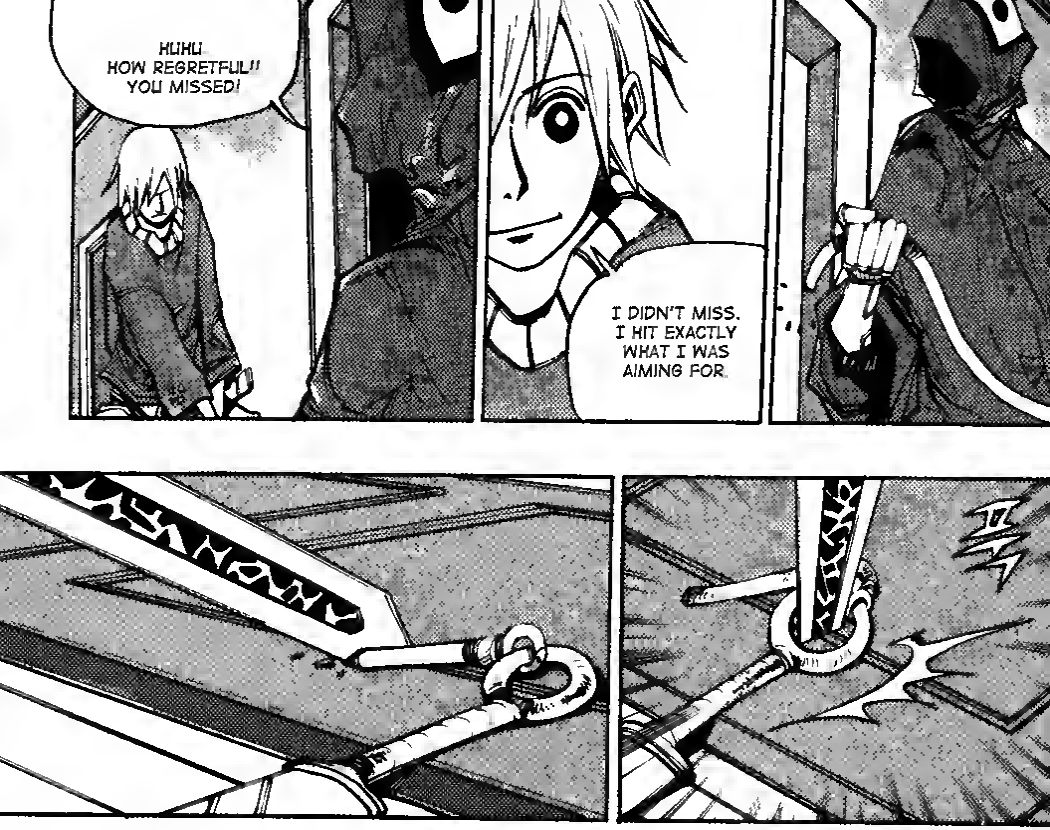
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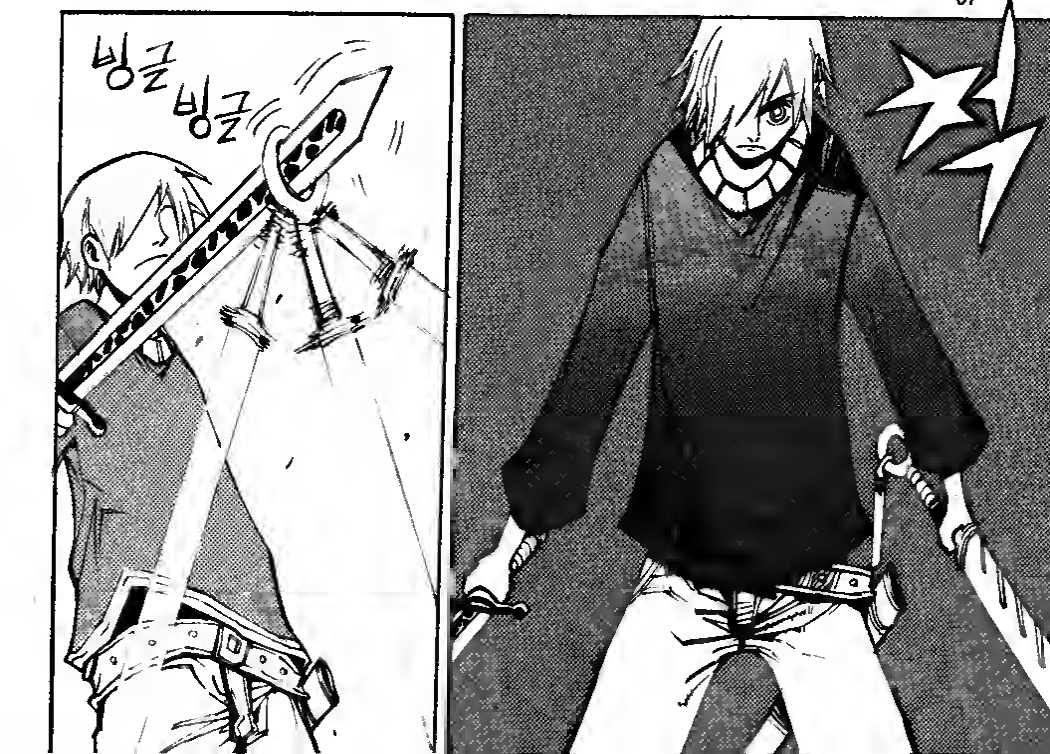
HOW REGRETFUL!!
YOU MISSED!
I DIDN'T MISS.
I HIT EXACTLY
WHAT I WAS
AIMING FOR.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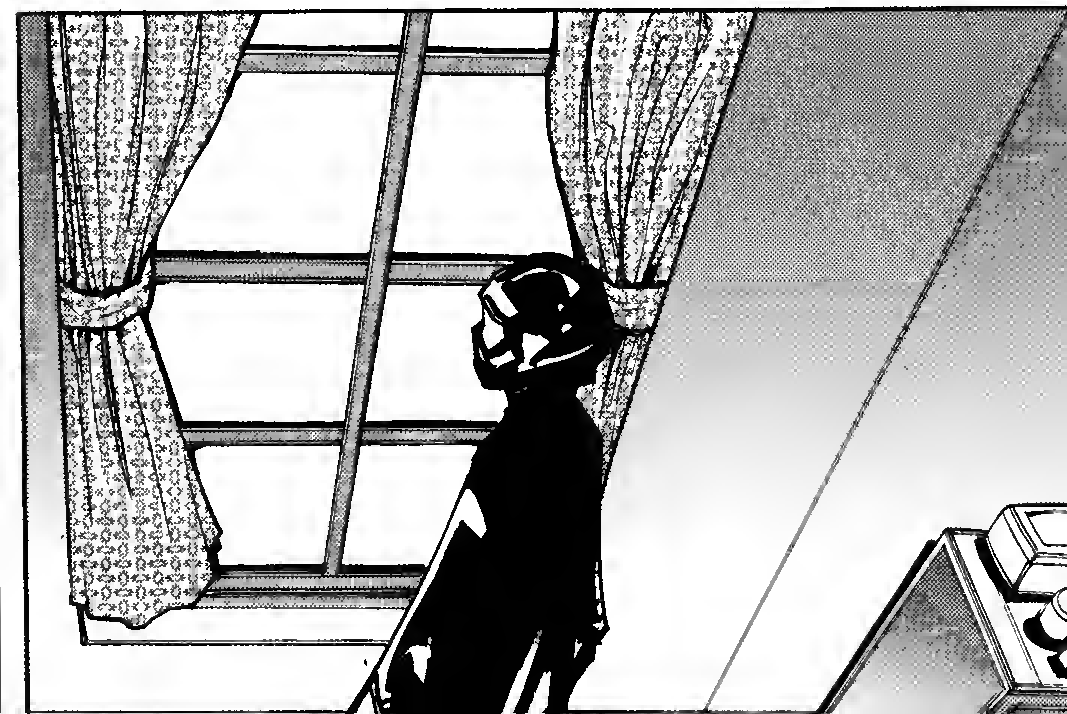
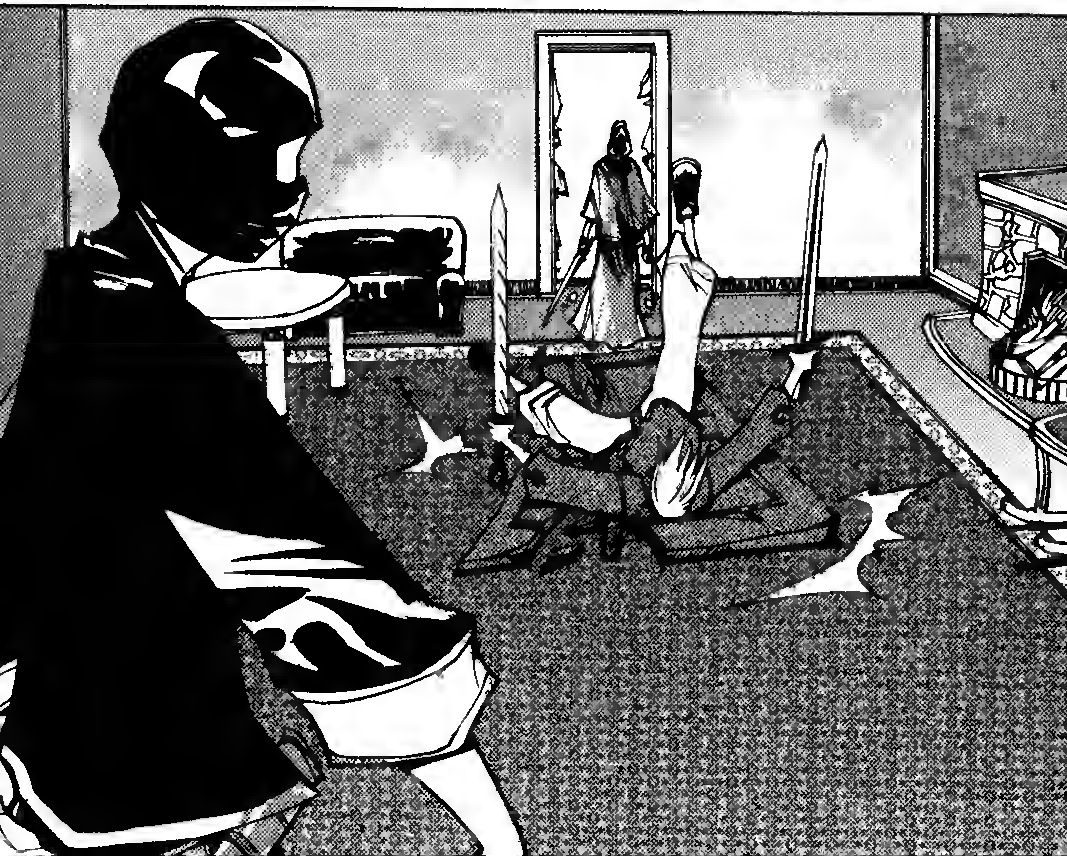
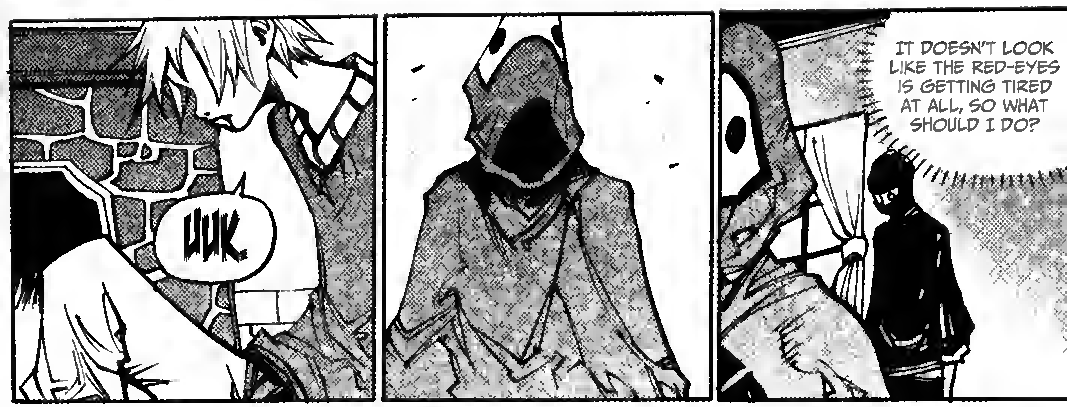




DAMMIT. IT'S GETTING COMPLICATED, COMPLICATED!! I WAS ONLY GOING TO WAIT FOR ONE OF THEM TO DIE BEFORE COMING OUT AND CLAIMING THE BOUNTY...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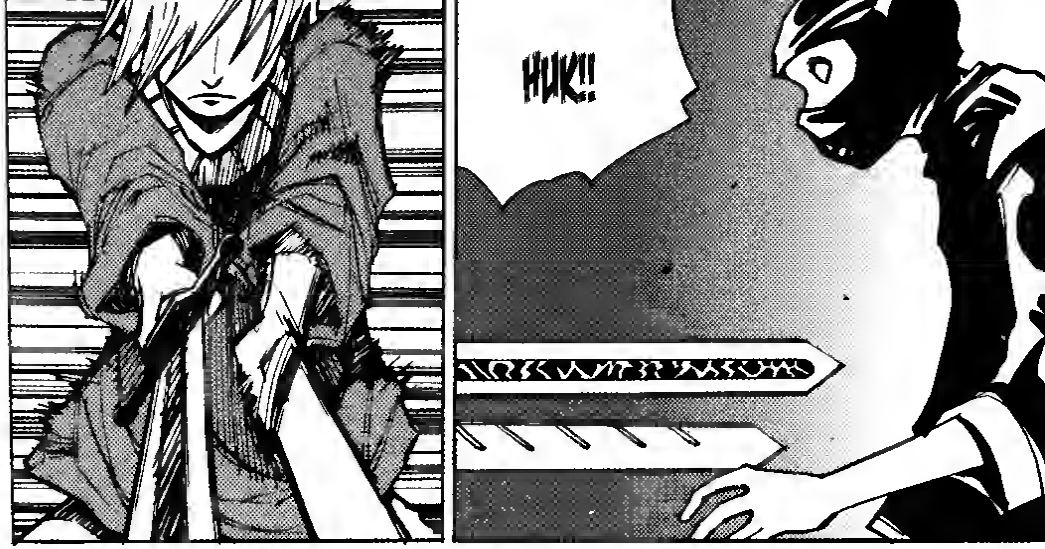
IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE THE RED-EYES IS GETTING TIRED AT ALL, SO WHAT SHOULD I DO?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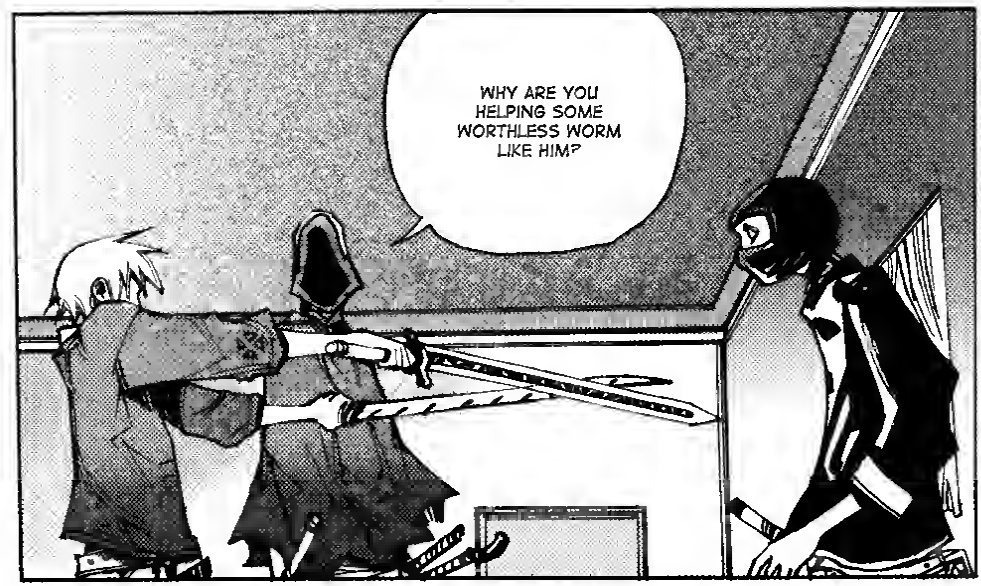
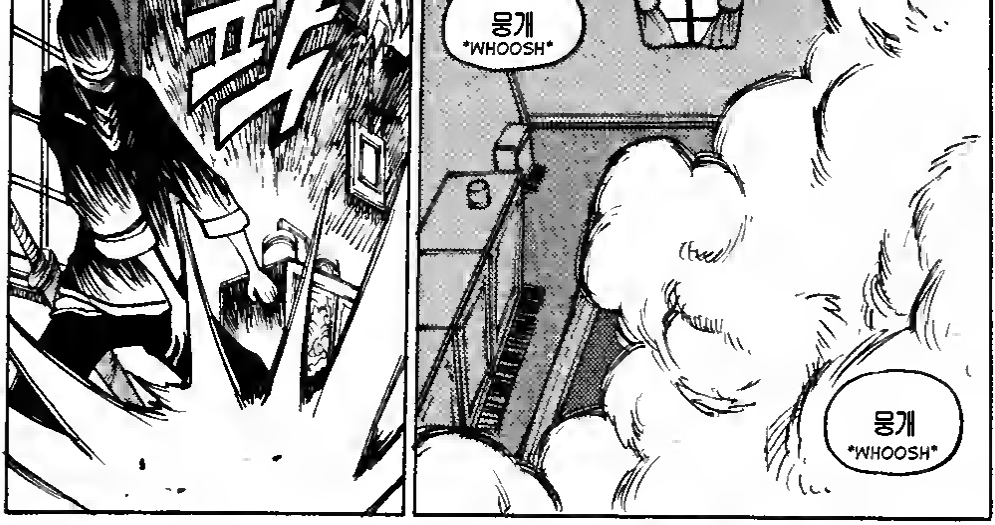

WHY ARE YOU HELPING SOME WORTHLESS WORM LIKE HIM?

I'D BETTER WAIT ELSEWHERE FOR THEM TO GET EXHAUSTED!!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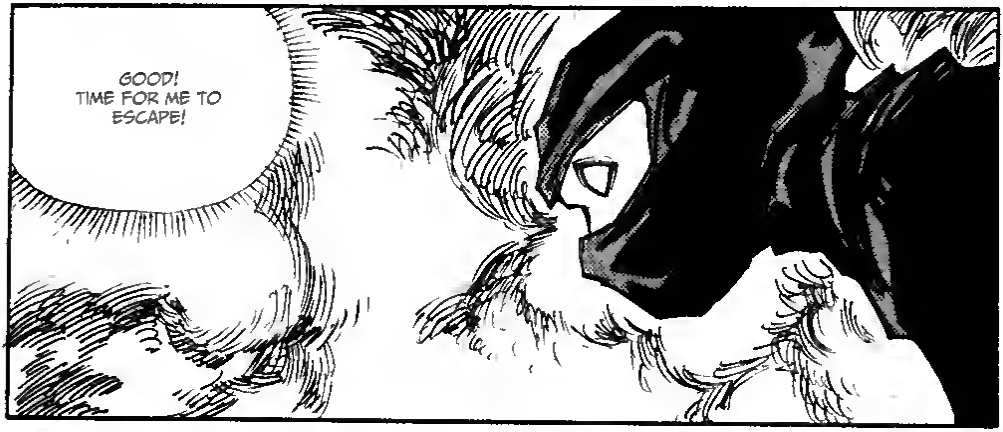
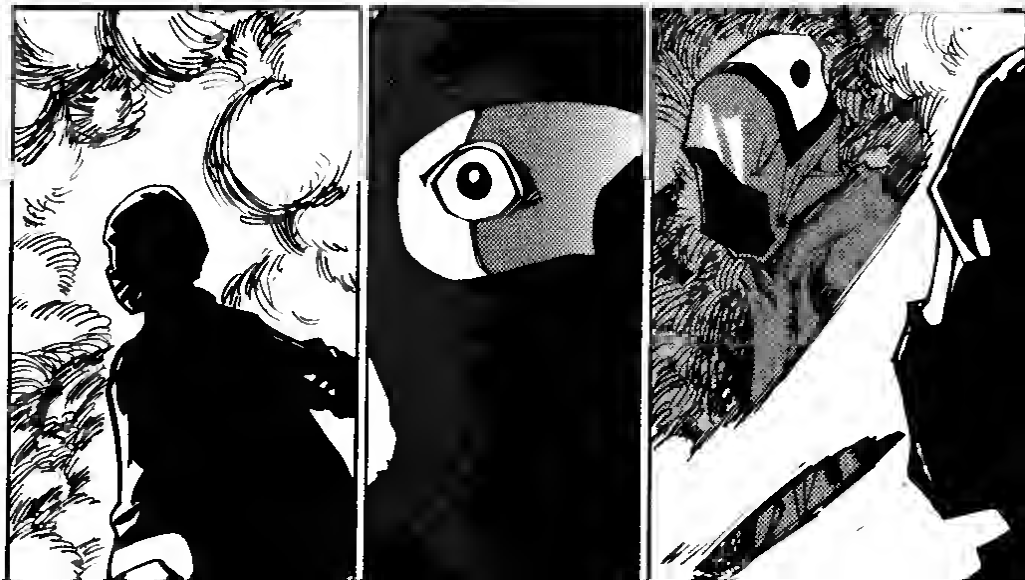

GOOD!
TIME FOR ME TO
ESCAPE!



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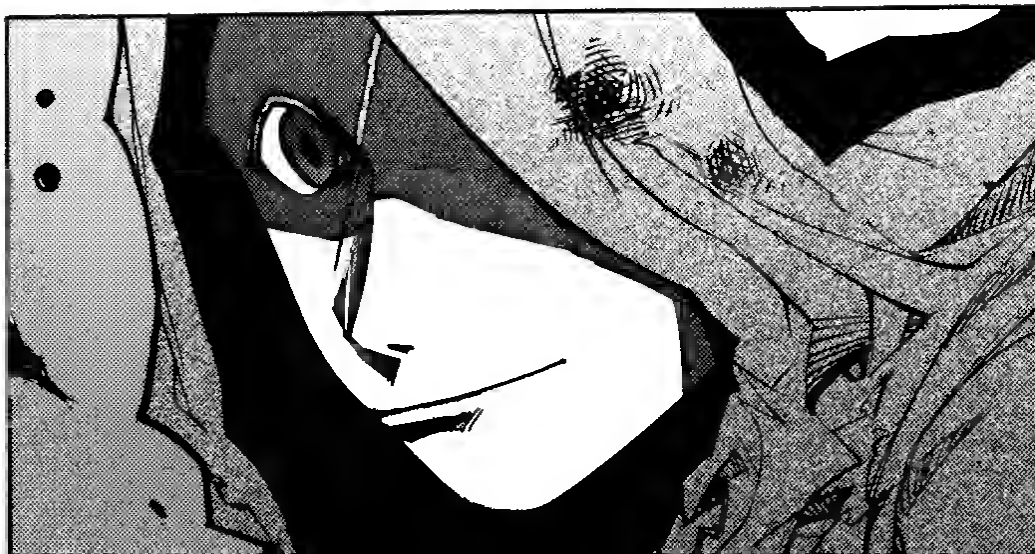

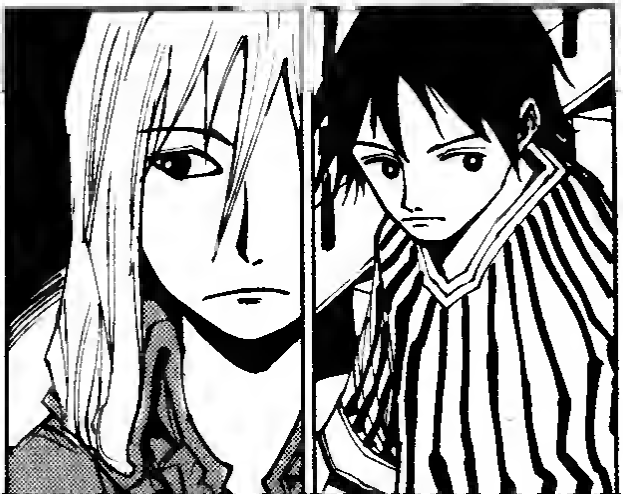

THEY SURE ARE FIGHTING A LONG TIME!!
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YOU REALLY ARE HARD TO GET ALONG WITH, BEING SO QUIET!!

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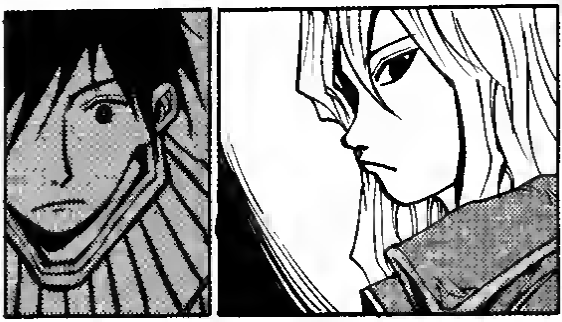
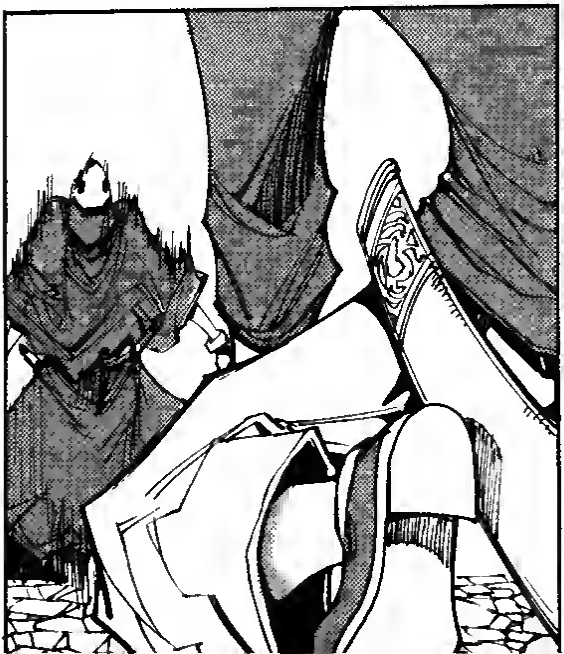
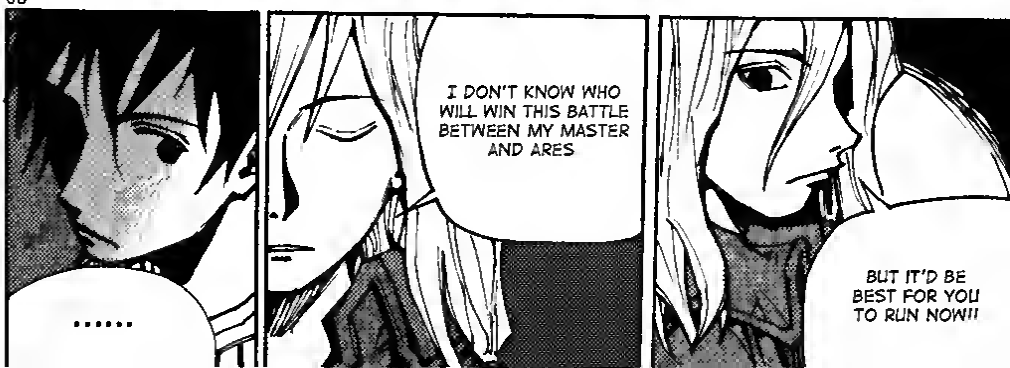




ARES IS UNDOUBTEDLY GETTING PUSHED BACK AND BLEEDING A LOT, TOO
ARE YOU ALREADY OUT OF BREATH, ARES? SHALL WE TAKE A BREAK AND THEN FIGHT?

WHY DON'T YOU STUFF YOUR BULLSHIT!!

HEY, FRIEND OF ARES! SHALL I GIVE YOU SOME ADVICE?


I DON'T KNOW WHO WILL WIN THIS BATTLE BETWEEN MY MASTER AND ARES
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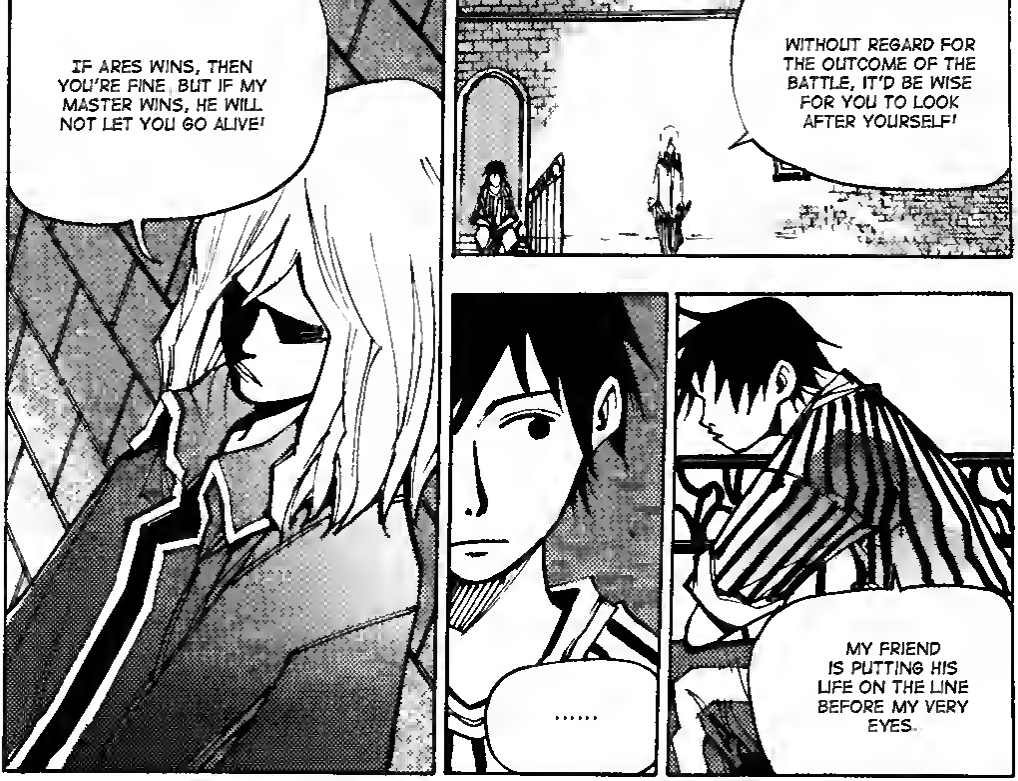
BUT IT'D BE BEST FOR YOU TO RUN NOW!!


IF ARES WINS, THEN YOU'RE FINE. BUT IF MY MASTER WINS, HE WILL NOT LET YOU GO ALIVE!
WITHOUT REGARD FOR THE OUTCOME OF THE BATTLE, IT'D BE WISE FOR YOU TO LOOK AFTER YOURSELF!
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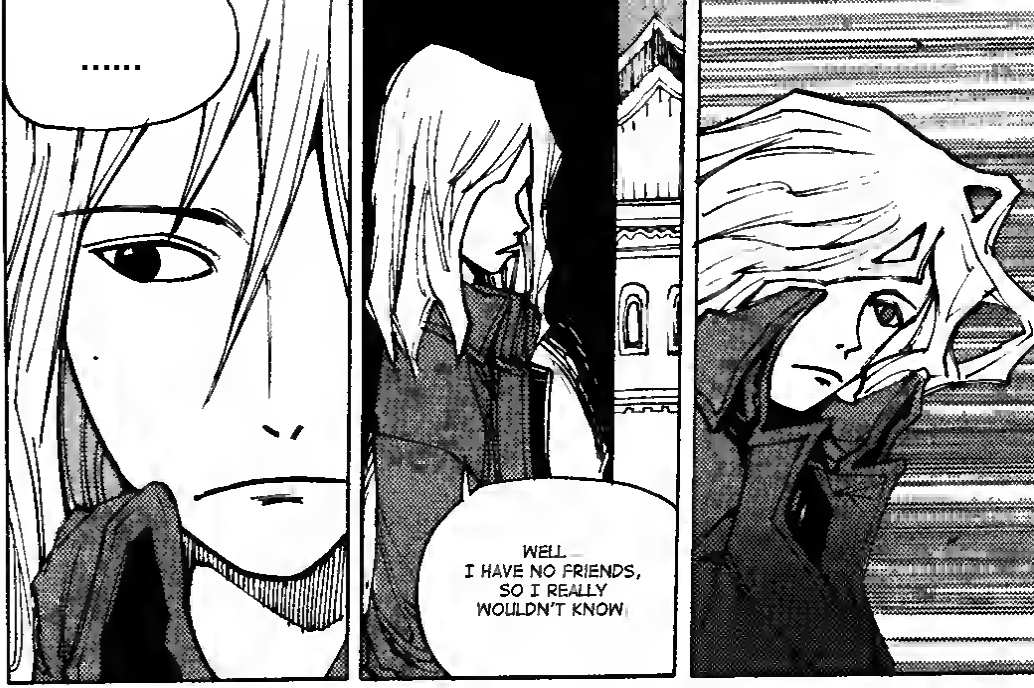
MY FRIEND IS PUTTING HIS LIFE ON THE LINE BEFORE MY VERY EYES.

IF YOU WERE ME, WOULD YOU BE ABLE TO LEAVE HIM AND RUN?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WELL...
I HAVE NO FRIENDS,
SO I REALLY
WOULDN'T KNOW.

MASTER,
I WILL TAKE MY
LEAVE NOW!!

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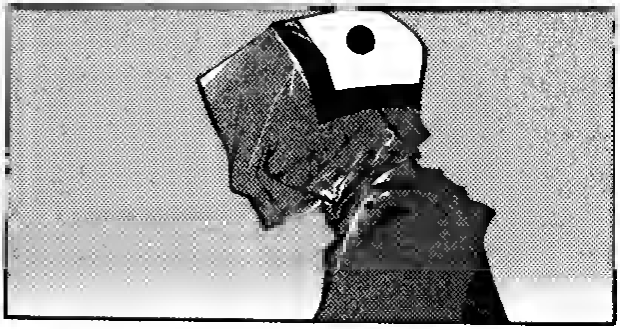
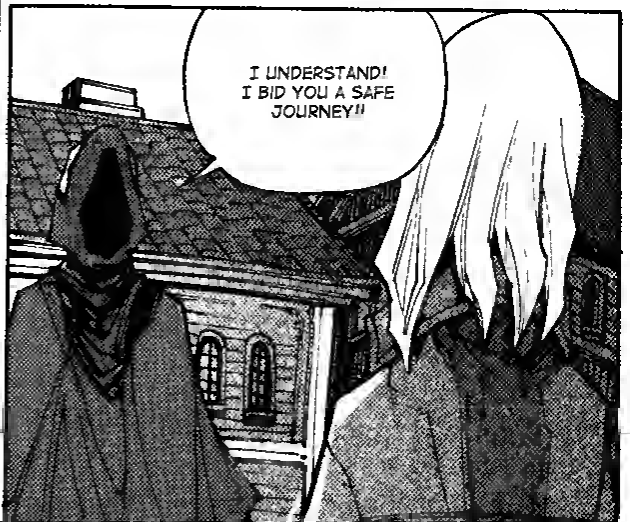
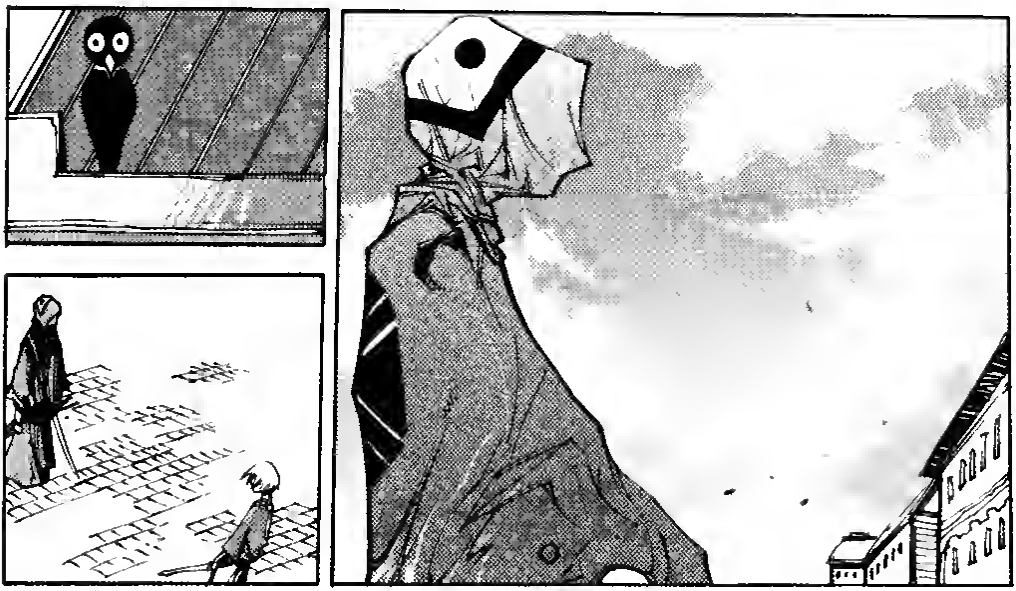
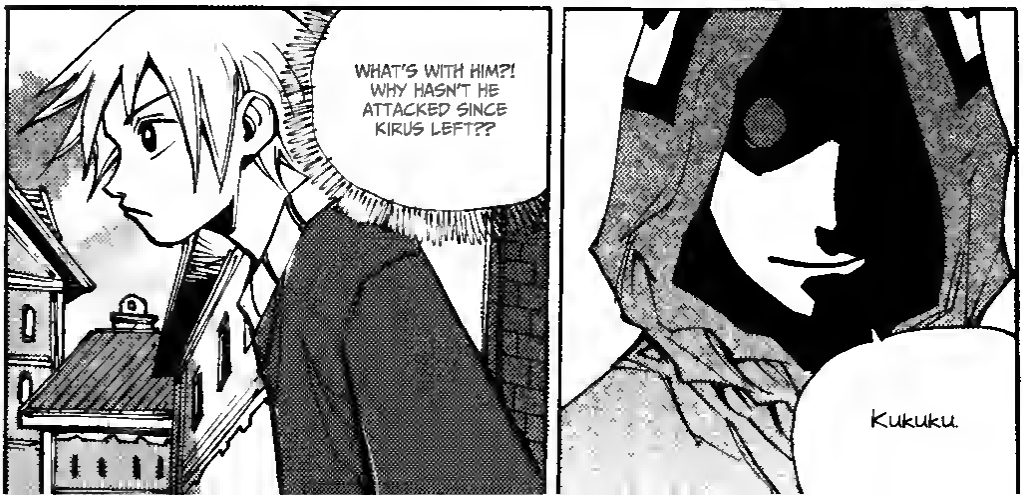
I AM VERY
THANKFUL FOR ALL
THAT YOU'VE TAUGHT
ME. PLEASE TAKE CARE
OF YOURSELF!!



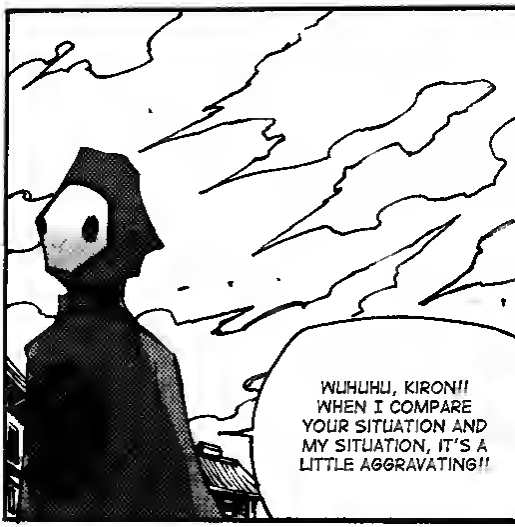

I UNDERSTAND!
I BID YOU A SAFE
JOURNEY!!

A LITTLE BIT OF TIME HAS PASSED SINCE KIRUS'S DEPARTURE!!





KIRON'S DISCIPLE IS MAKING ALL THIS RUCKUS TO AVENGE KIRON'S DEATH. BUT MY DISCIPLE LEAVES ME BEHIND WHEN HE HAS NO MORE USE FOR ME!!
Kukuku.


WUHUHU, KIRON!! WHEN I COMPARE YOUR SITUATION AND MY SITUATION, IT'S A LITTLE AGGRAVATING!!

I FOUND ARES' THOUGHTS FOR YOU LAUDABLE. SO I DIDN'T WANT TO MAKE HIM SUFFER.. BUT I'VE CHANGED MY MIND!!

I WILL MAKE HIM SUFFER THROUGH HELL AS I KILL HIM!!

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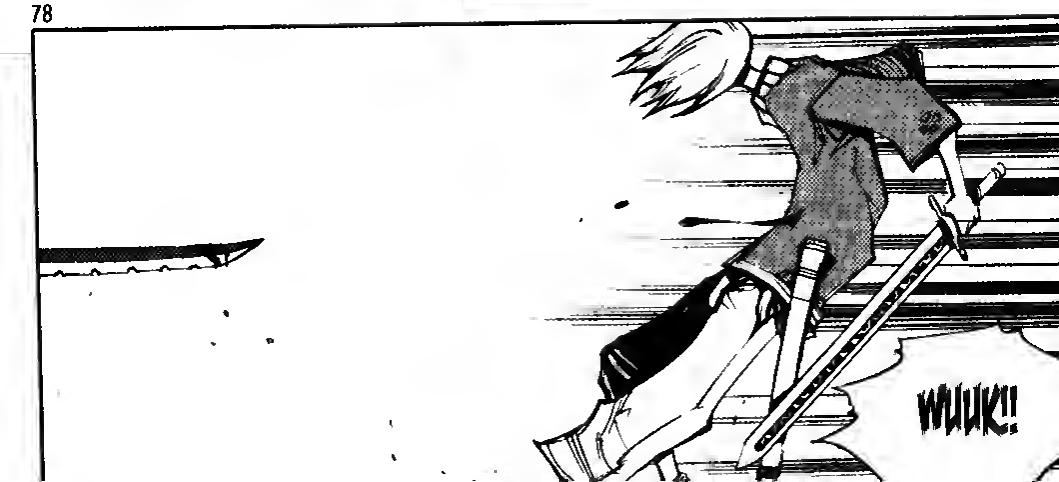
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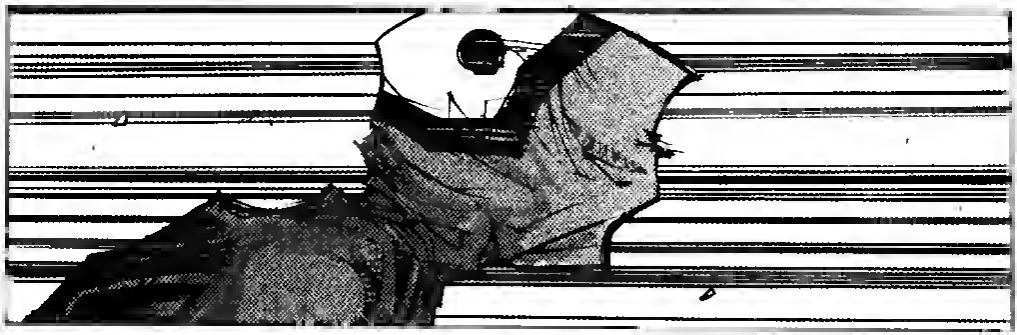
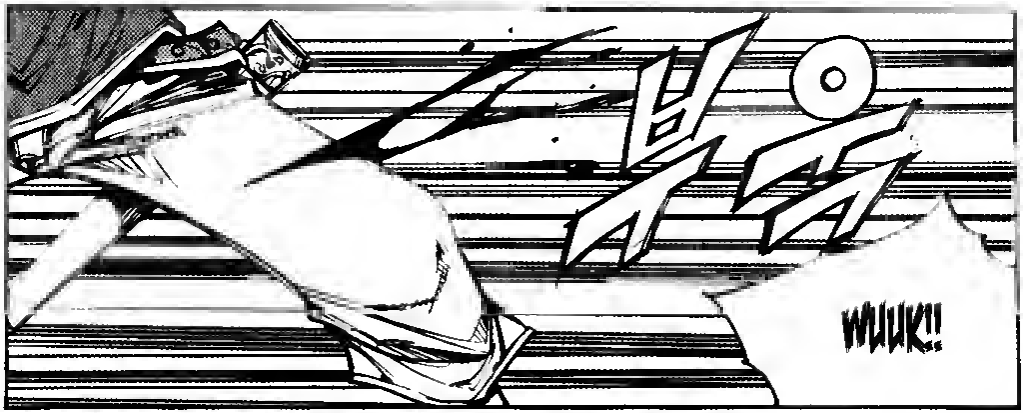
HE'S UNBELIEVABLY FASTER THAN BEFORE!

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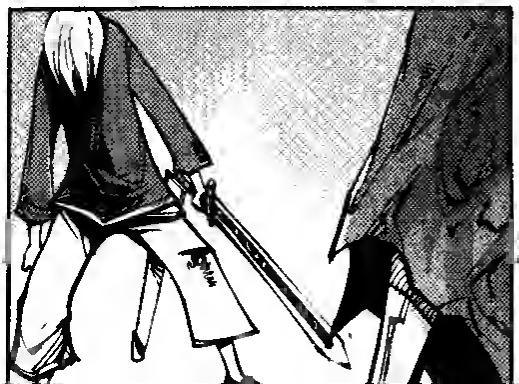

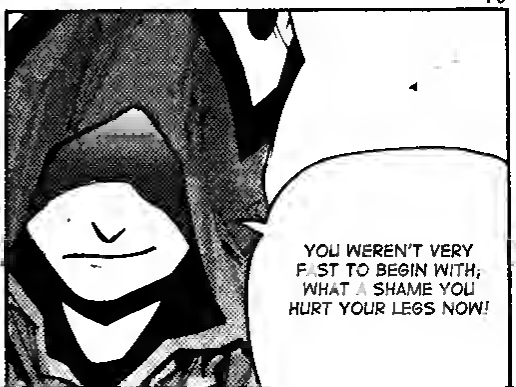
YOU WEREN'T VERY FAST TO BEGIN WITH; WHAT A SHAME YOU HURT YOUR LEGS NOW!

ARES!!
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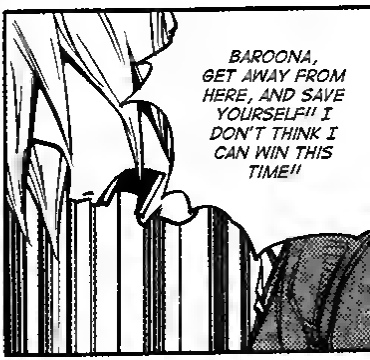
NO!!
BAROONA, DON'T
INTERFERE.


BAROONA,
GET AWAY FROM
HERE, AND SAVE
YOURSELF!! I
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CAN WIN THIS
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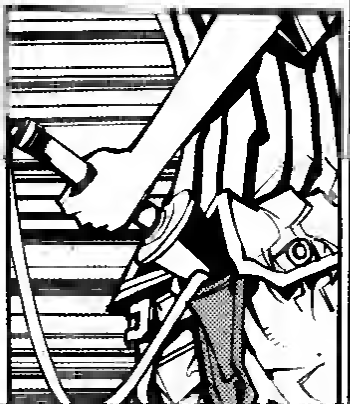

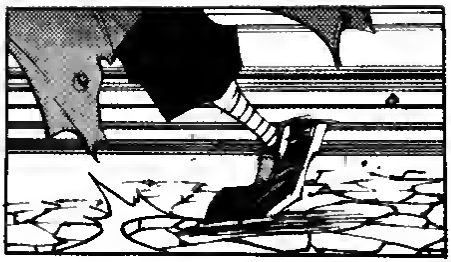

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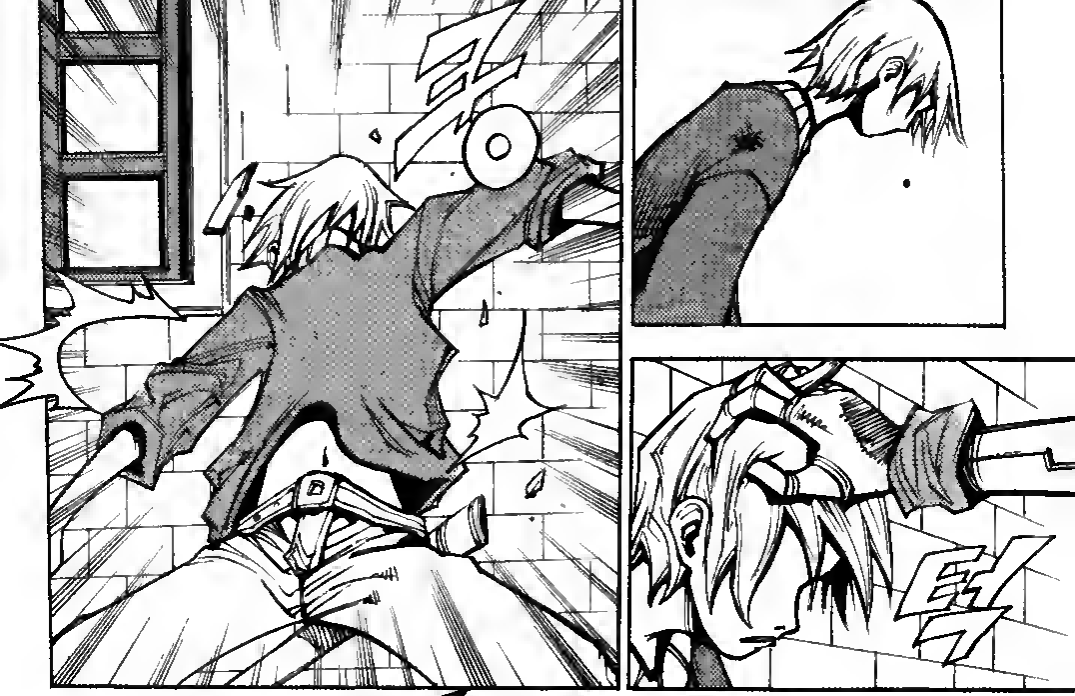

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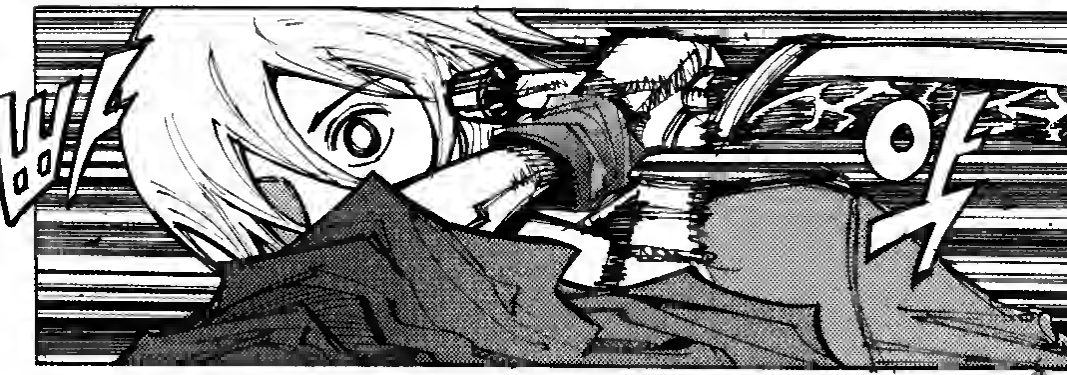
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DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE ALREADY DONE? I WON'T ALLOW THAT!!
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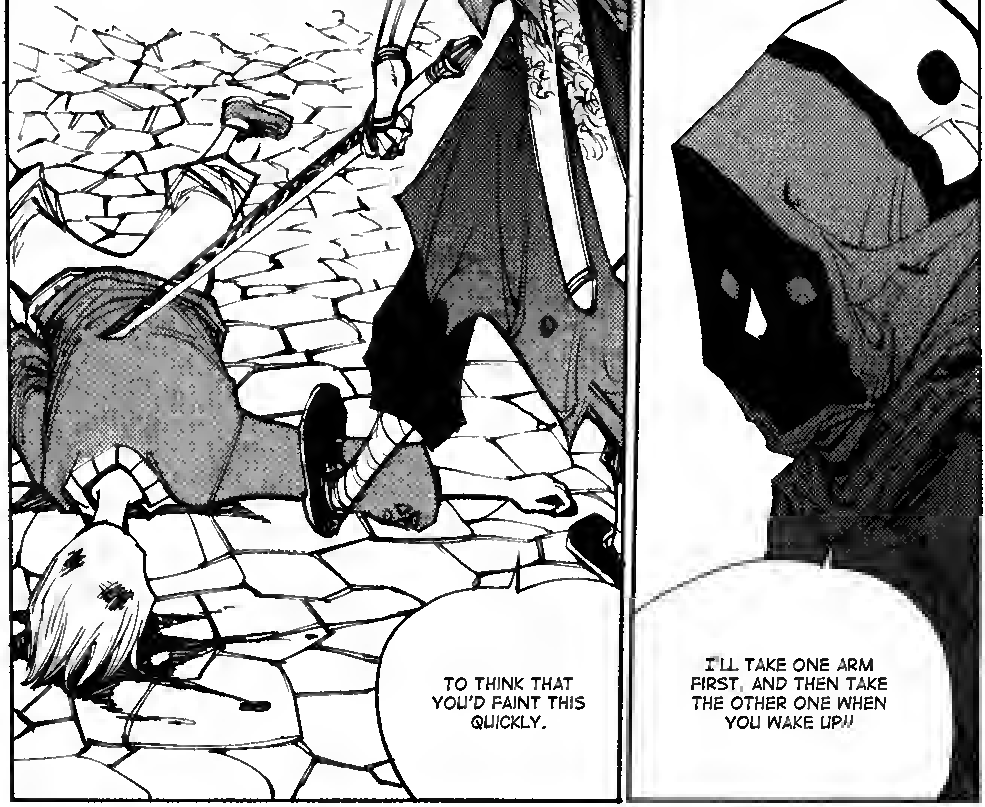
TO THINK THAT YOU'D FAINT THIS QUICKLY.
I'LL TAKE ONE ARM FIRST, AND THEN TAKE THE OTHER ONE WHEN YOU WAKE UP!!

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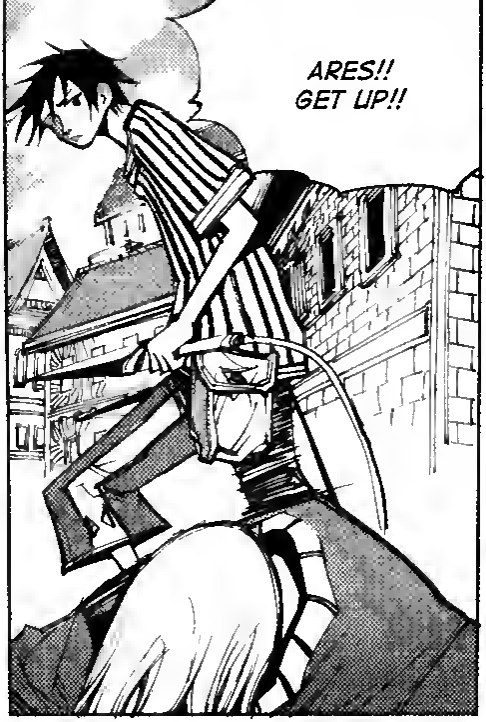
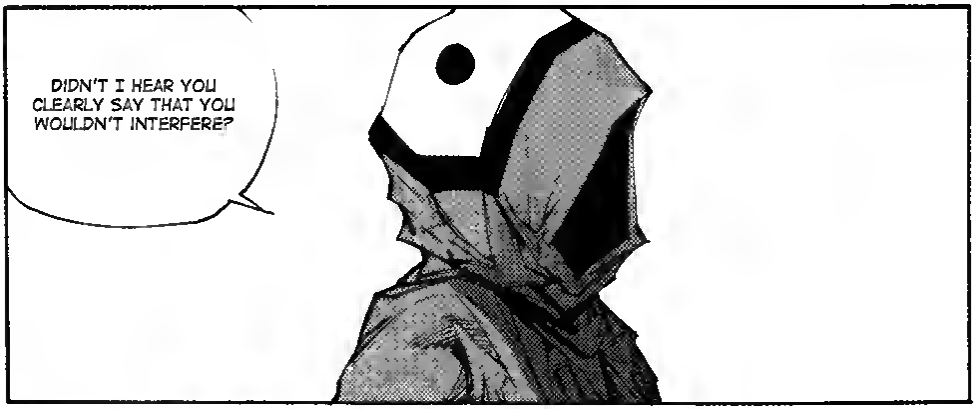

ARES!!
GET UP!!


DIDN'T I HEAR YOU CLEARLY SAY THAT YOU WOULDN'T INTERFERE?

ACTUALLY, I'M SOMETHING OF A LIAR!

WHEN ARES WAKES UP, YOUR ROLLING HEAD WILL BE THE FIRST THING HE SEES!
IT WON'T BE THAT EASY!!
AND YOU, YOU HAVE SOMETHING OF AN INFERIORITY COMPLEX REGARDING KIRON, DON'T YOU!!
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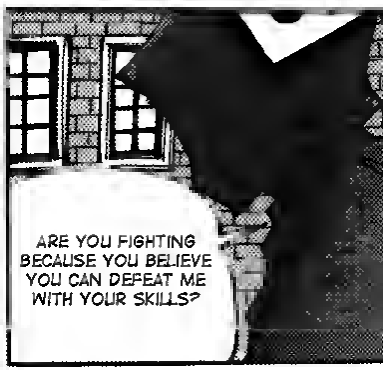
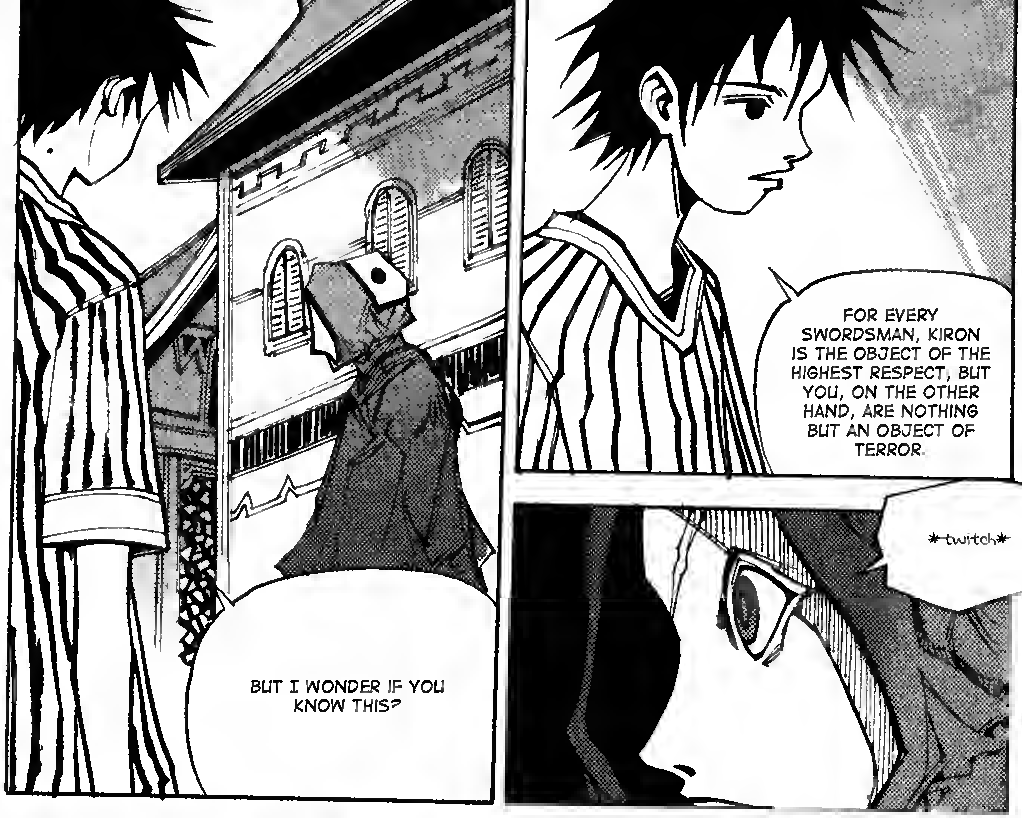
IS IT BECAUSE YOU FOUGHT SO DIRTY AGAINST KIRON IN THAT FINAL BATTLE?
OF COURSE YOU COULDN'T HONESTLY CONSIDER YOURSELF THE BEST WHEN YOU BEAT HIM SO UNDERHANDEDLY.

IS THERE REALLY A NEED FOR WORDS LIKE "HONOR" IN A CONTEST, YOUNG MAN?

IF YOU PUT IT THAT WAY, I HAVE NOTHING MORE TO SAY.


ARE YOU FIGHTING BECAUSE YOU BELIEVE YOU CAN DEFEAT ME WITH YOUR SKILLS?

NO, I JUST FIND IT BETTER TO DIE WHILE FIGHTING THAN TO DIE WHILE DOING NOTHING


FOR EVERY SWORDSMAN, KIRON IS THE OBJECT OF THE HIGHEST RESPECT, BUT YOU, ON THE OTHER HAND, ARE NOTHING BUT AN OBJECT OF TERROR.
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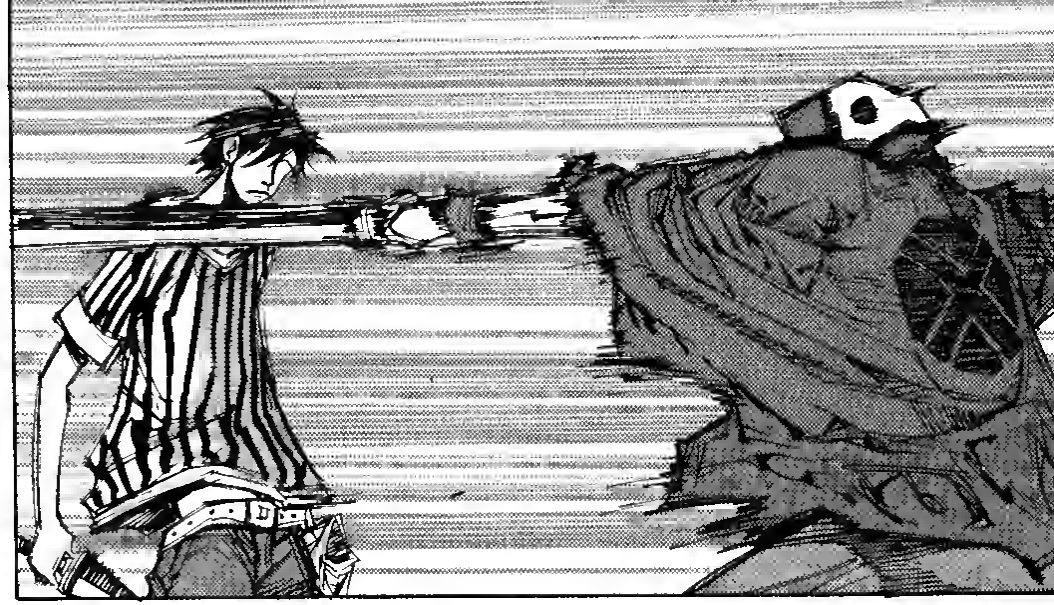
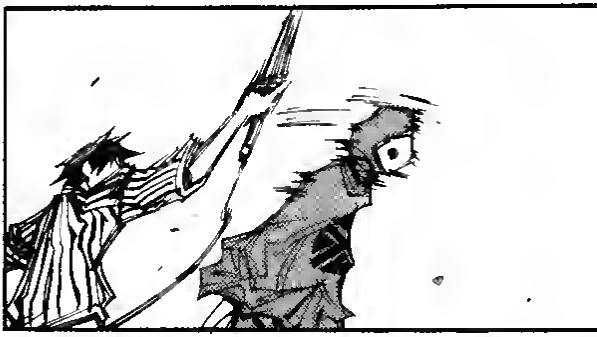
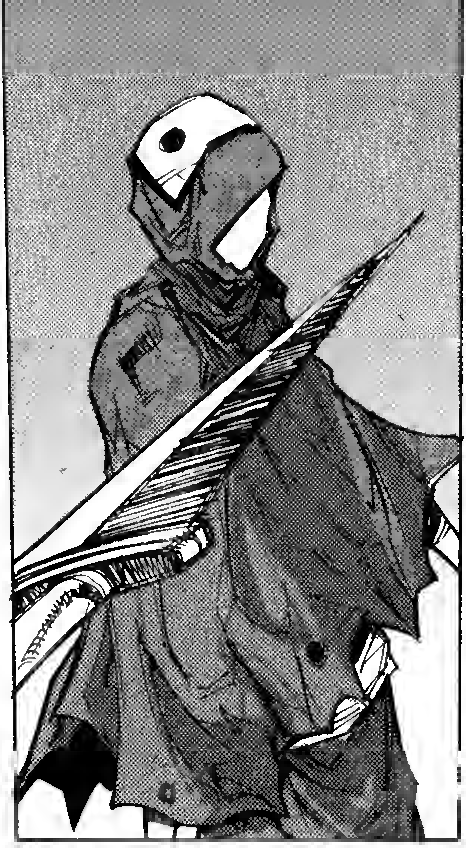
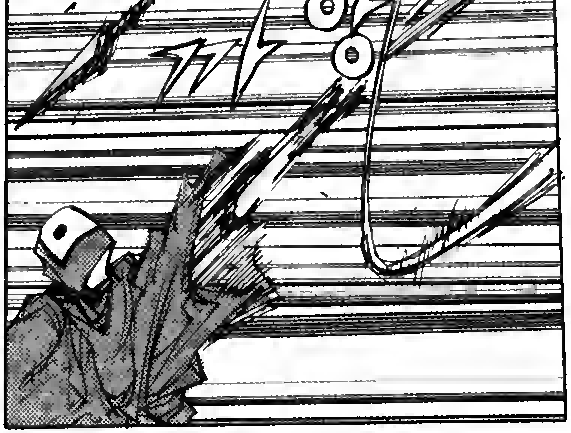
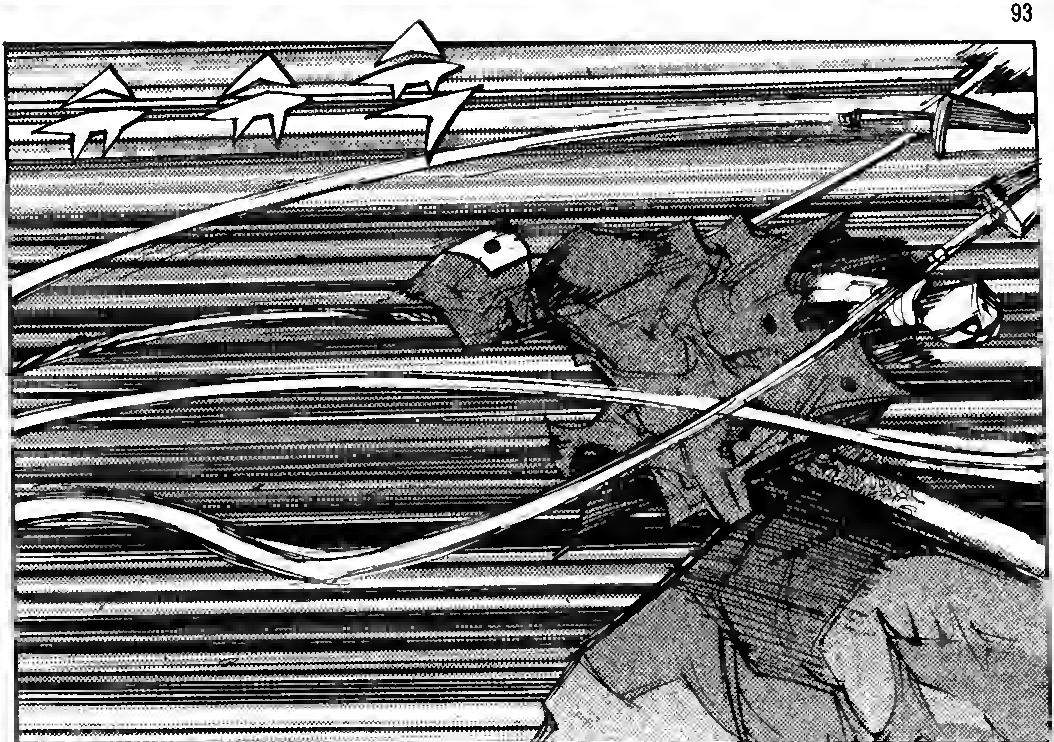
BUT I WONDER IF YOU KNOW THIS?











YOU ARE QUITE SKILLED WITH THE DIFFICULT DOUBLE-DAGGER ROPE DART!
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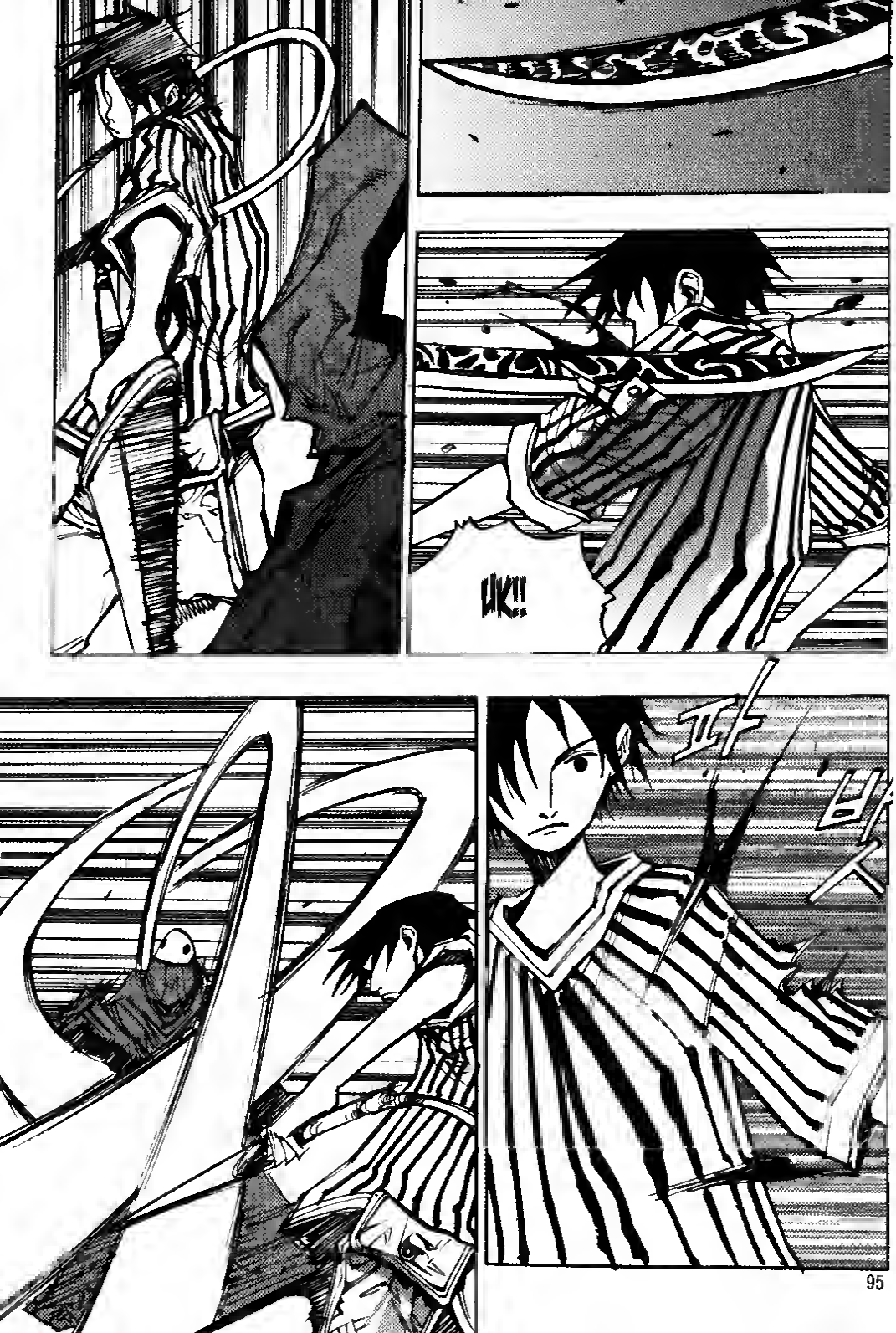
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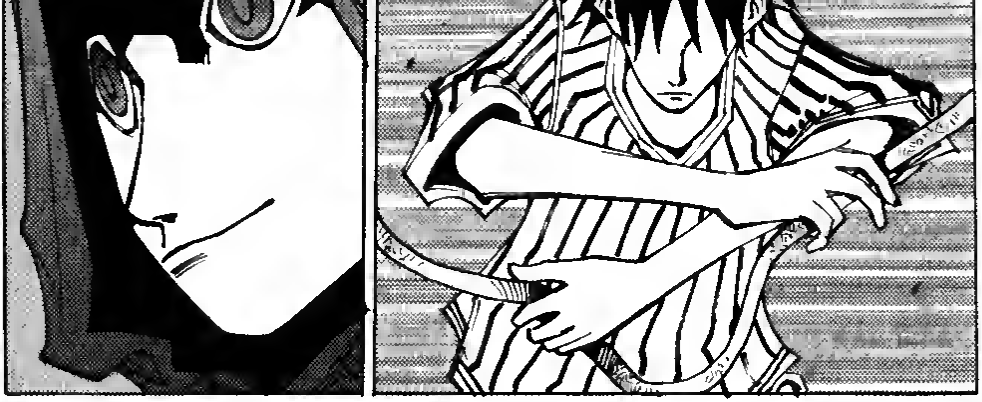

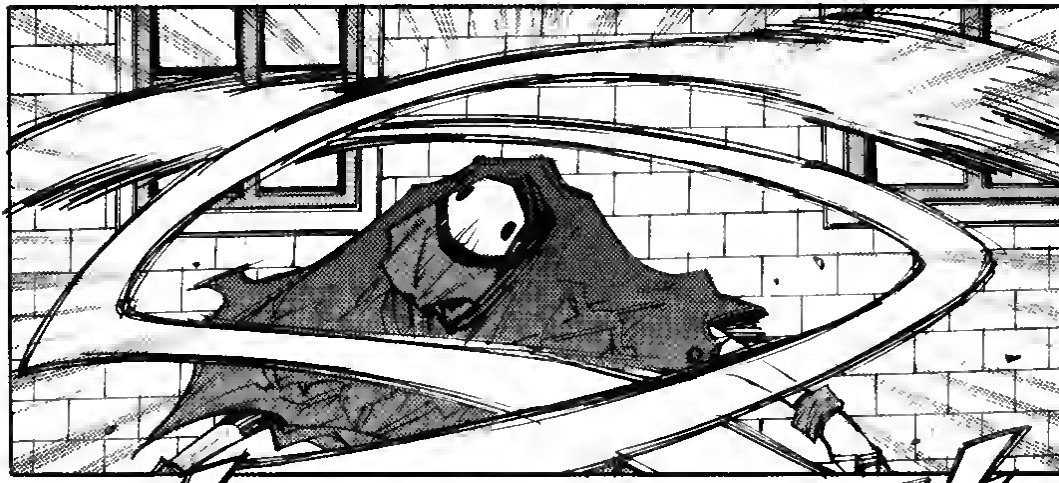

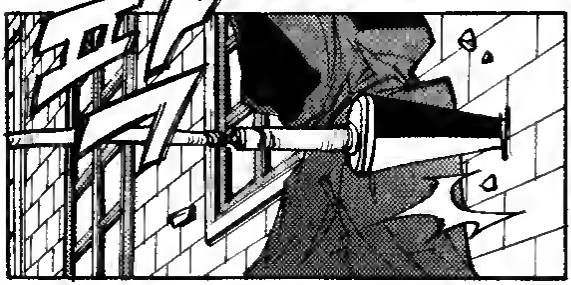
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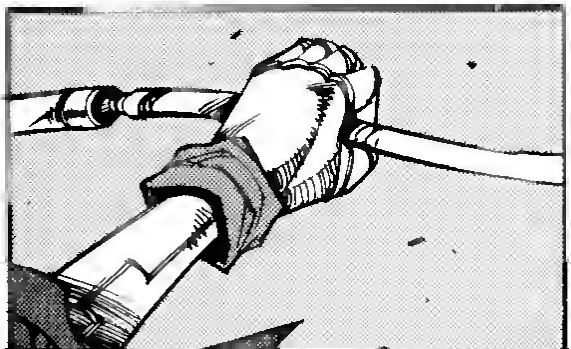

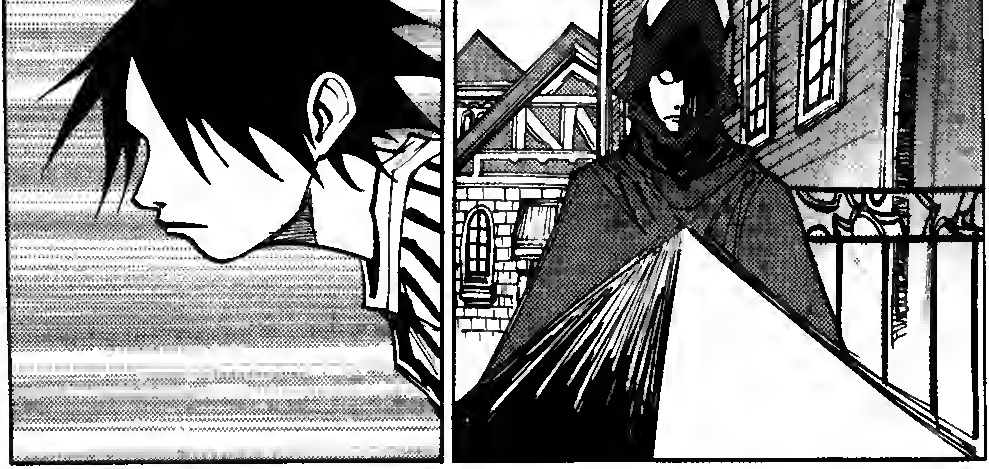

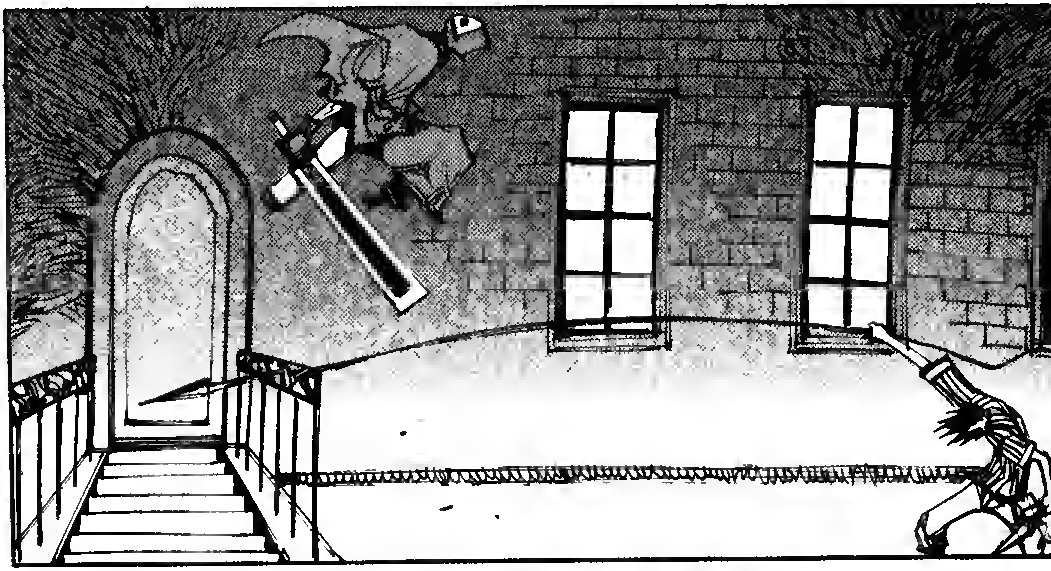

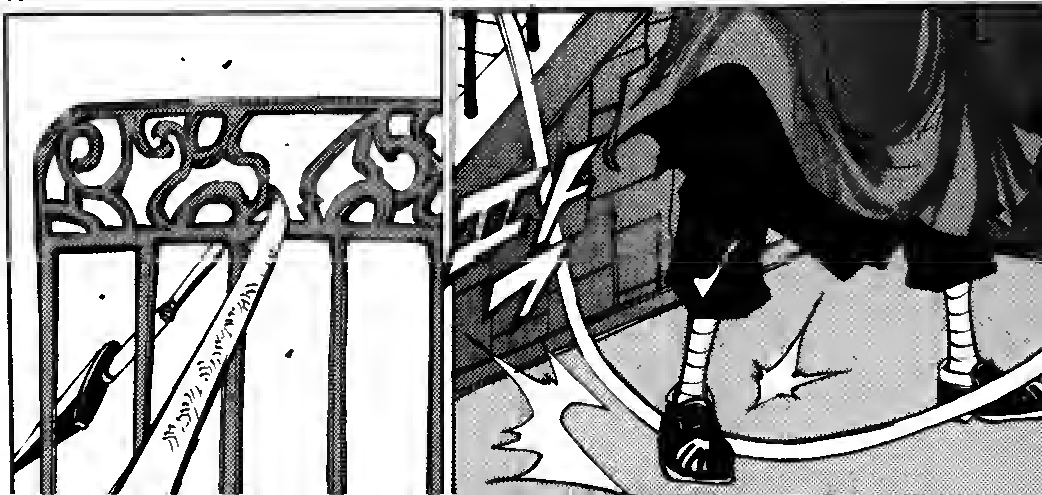

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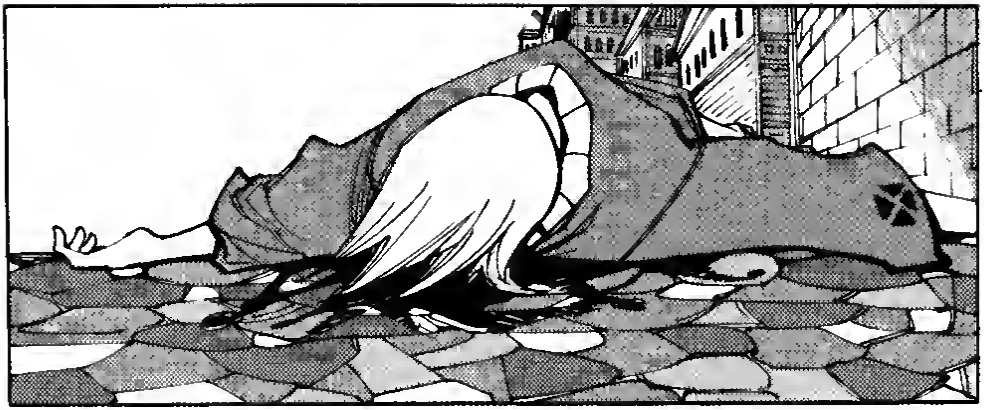
ARES!!



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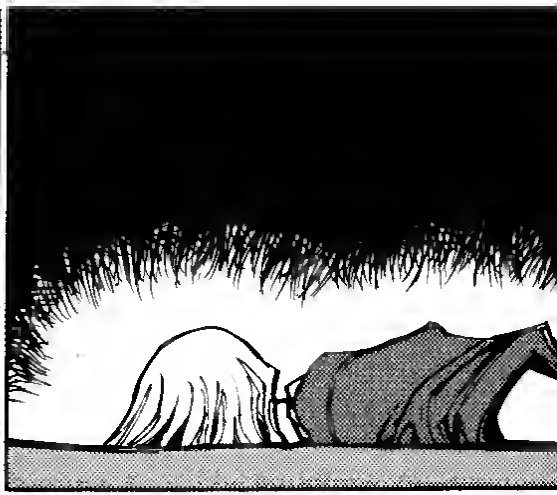

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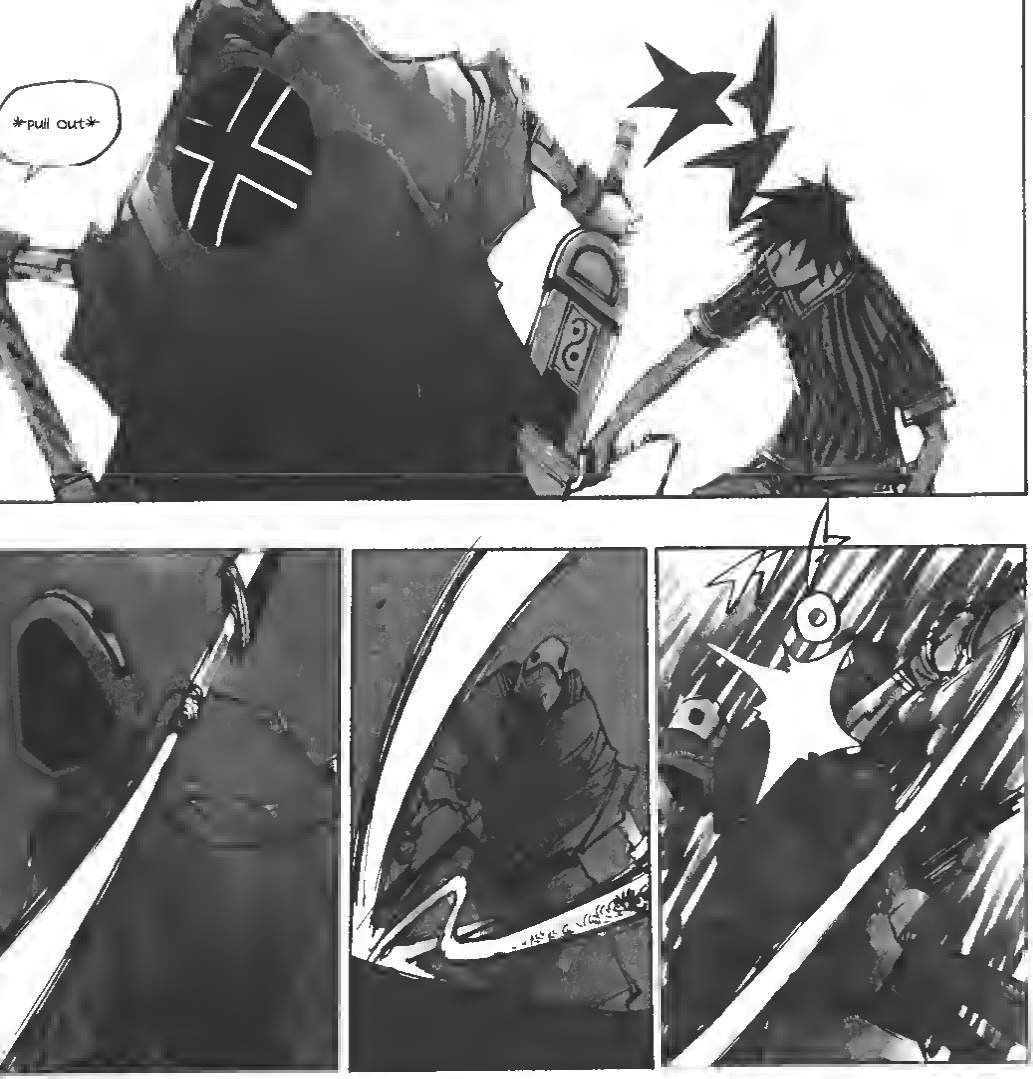
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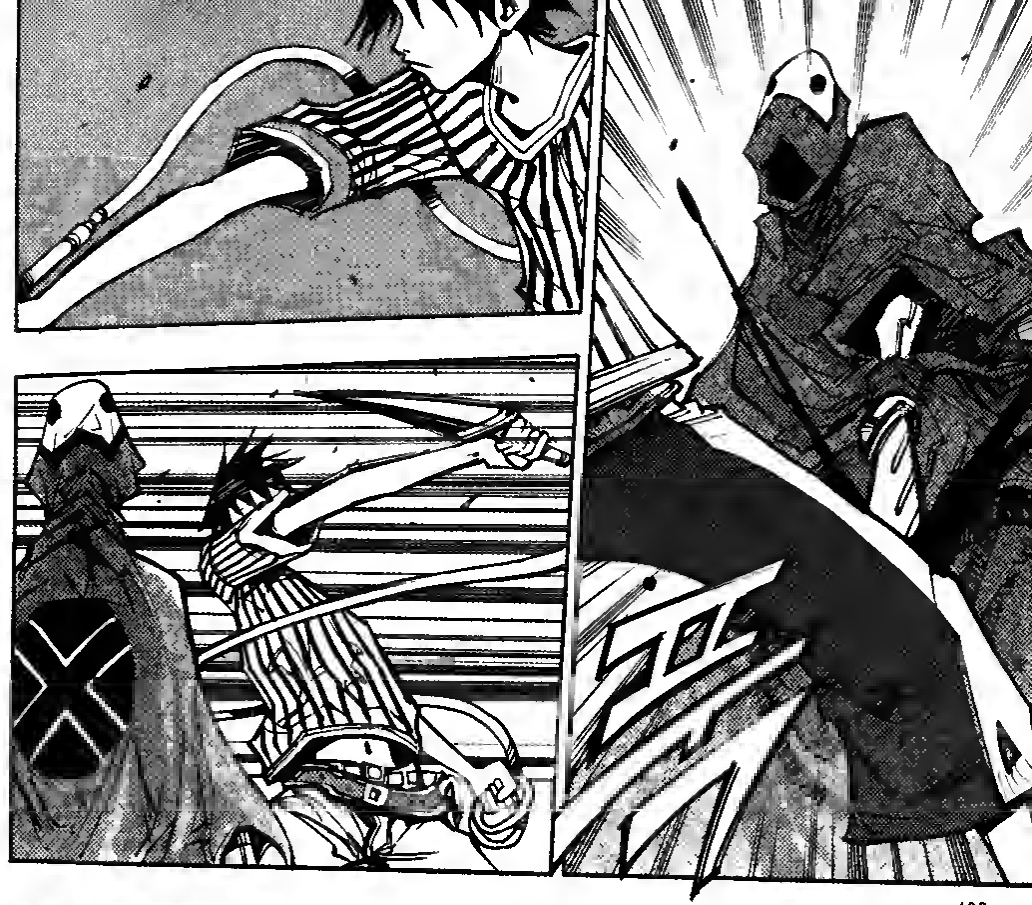
JUST THINK! IT WAS EASY TO AVOID YOU WHEN YOU ATTACKED WITH TWO. SO HOW MUCH EASIER IS IT WITH JUST ONE!!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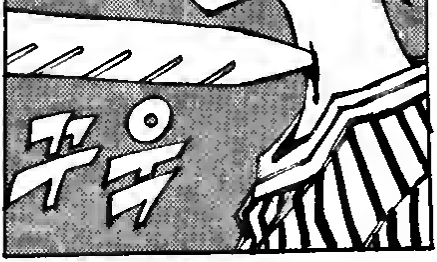
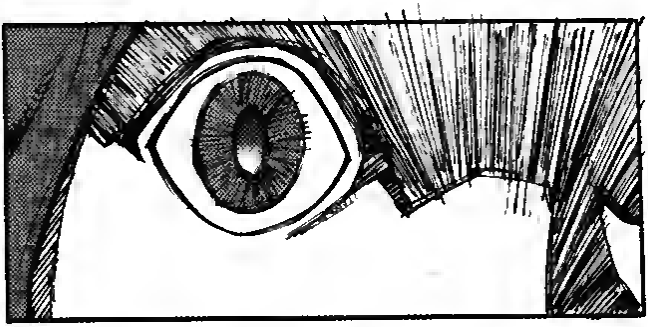
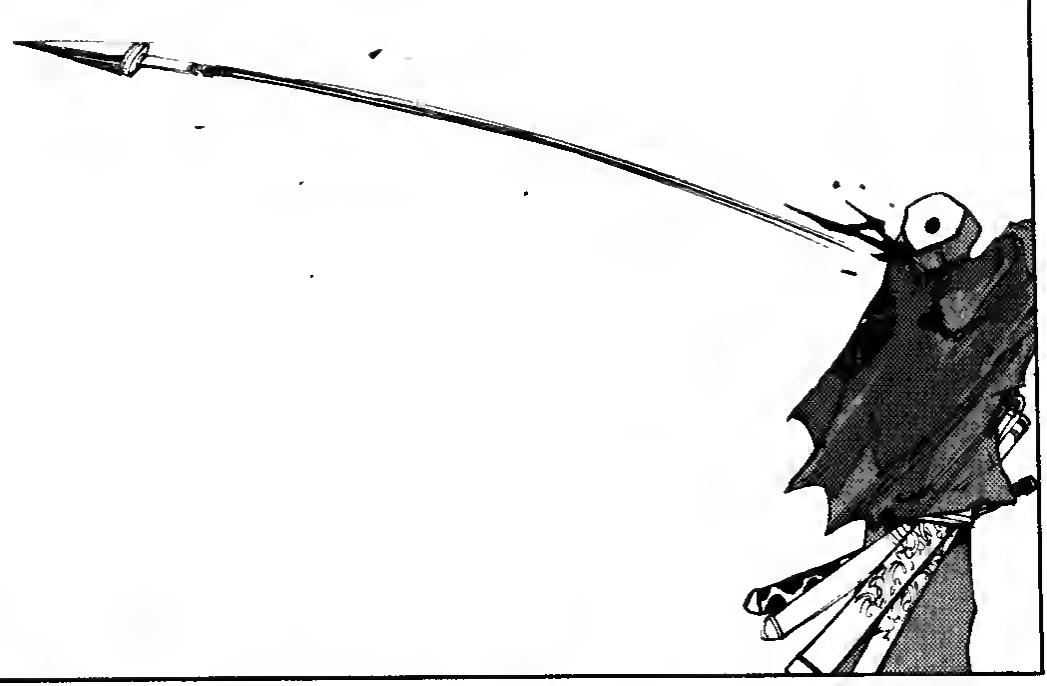
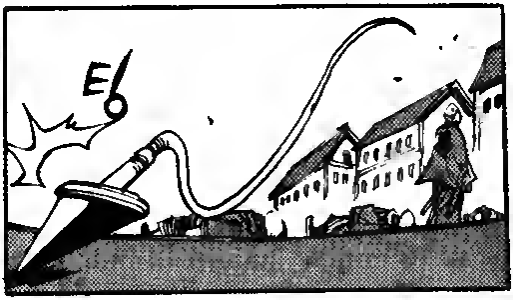


THAT'S NOT IT!! A WHILE BACK I SAID I'D CUT OFF THAT EAR!!



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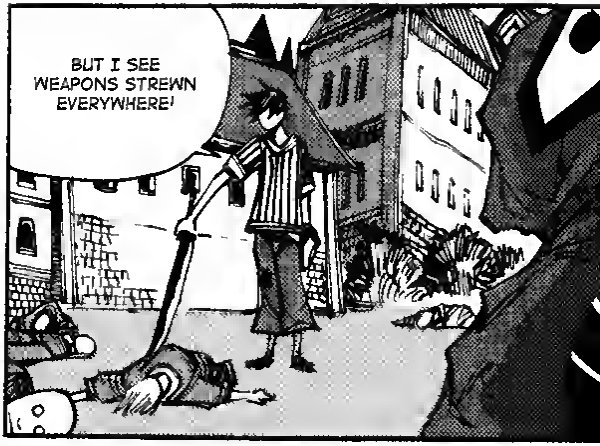
YOU HAD ME WITH MY GUARD DOWN, AND THREW AWAY YOUR WEAPON FOR THAT STRIKE! IT'S A SHAME THAT YOU MISSED!!

SAME GOES FOR YOU! ISN'T MY EAR STILL ATTACHED HERE?!

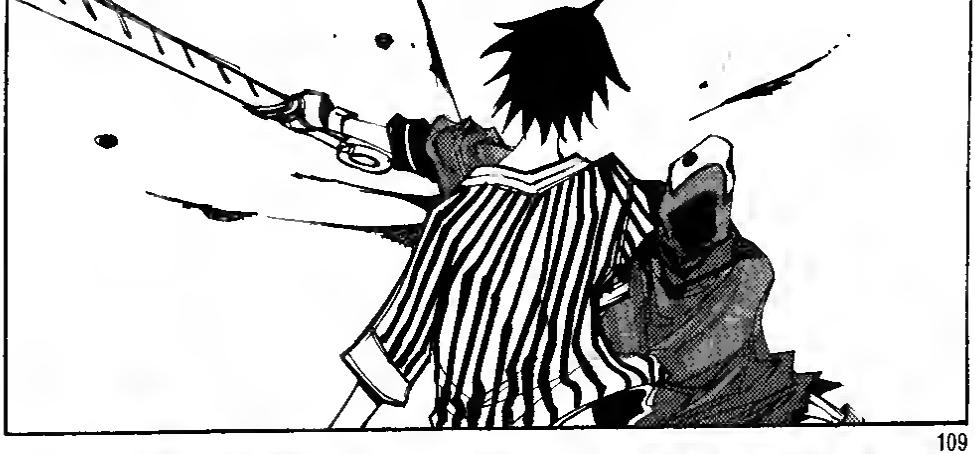
ARES!!

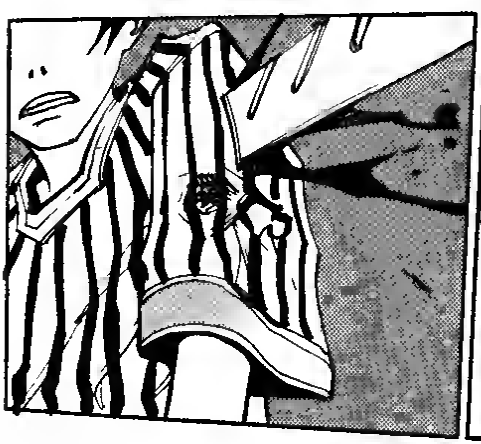
YOU HAVE NO WEAPONS NOW HOW WILL YOU FIGHT?

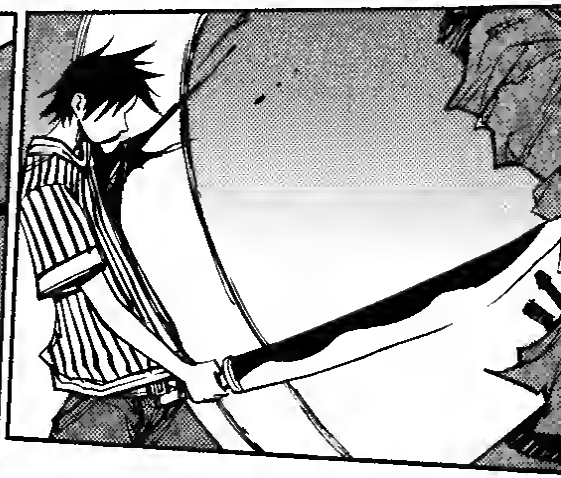

BUT I SEE WEAPONS STREWN EVERYWHERE!

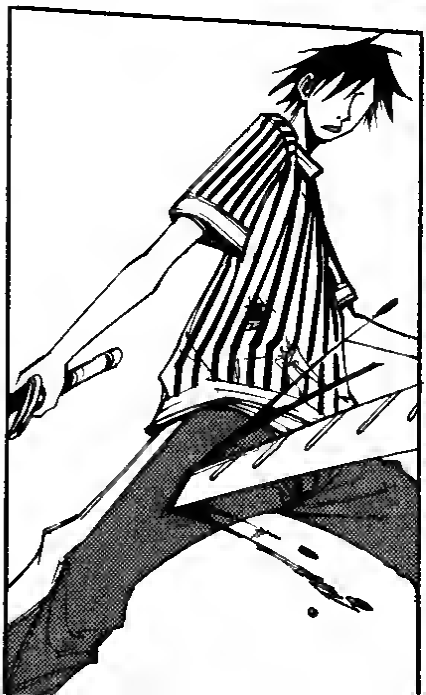
THAT SEEMS TO SUIT YOU BETTER THAN THE DOUBLE-DAGGER ROPE DART

ARES...









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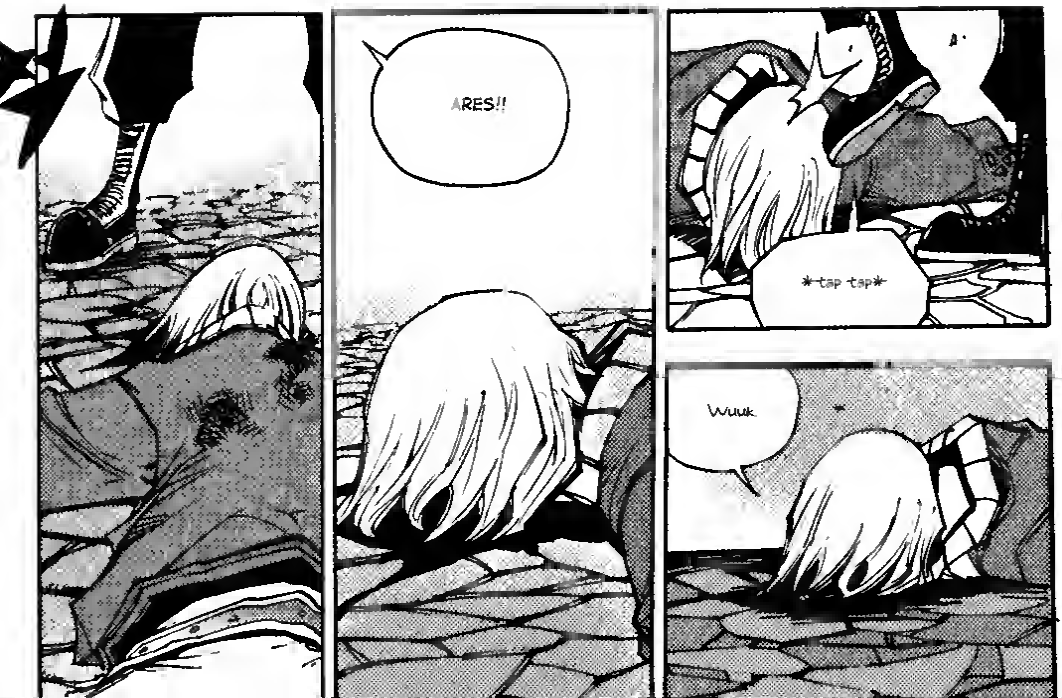

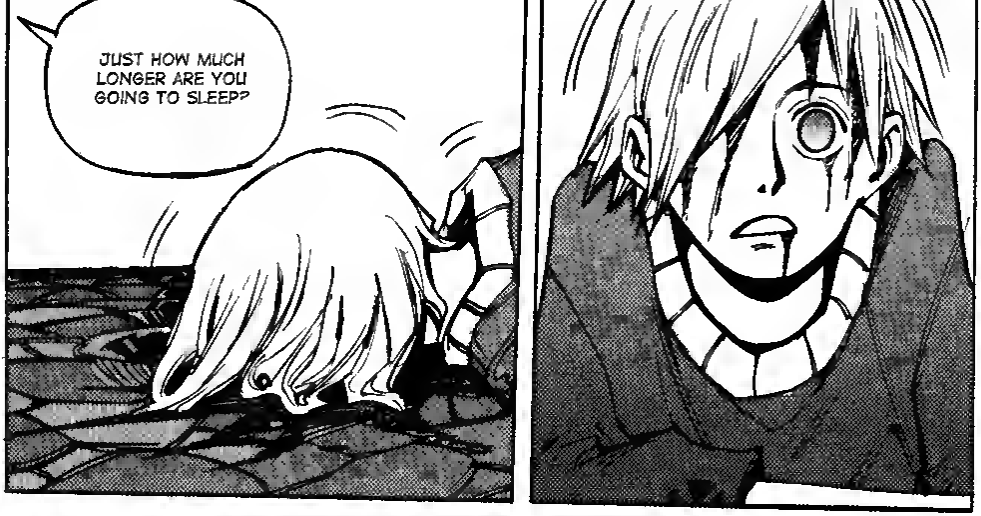
JUST HOW MUCH LONGER ARE YOU GOING TO SLEEP?

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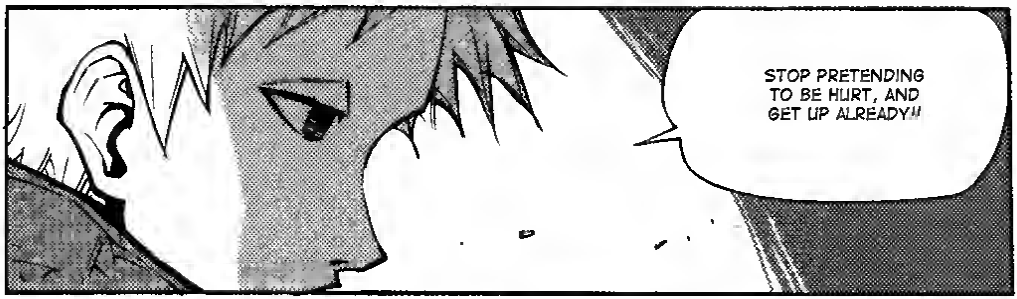
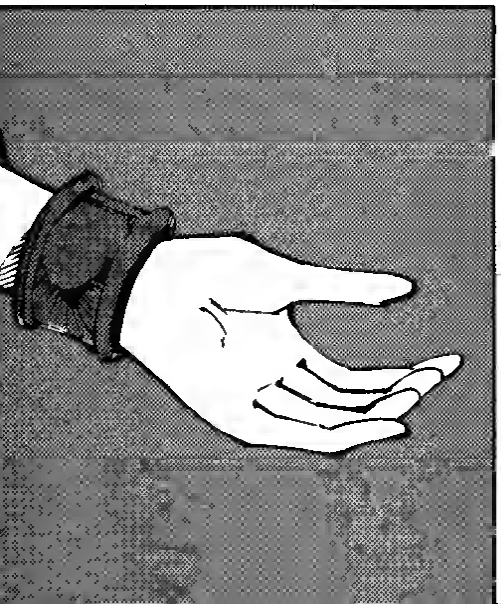
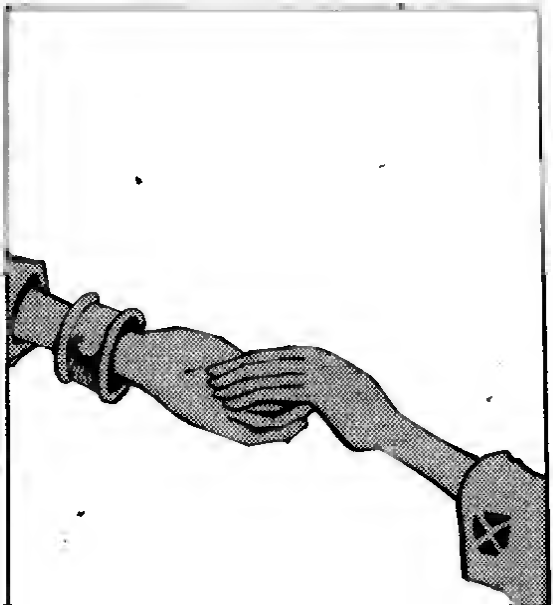
MI-
MIKAEL!!

HOW-
HOW IS THIS
POSSIBLE.
WHAT ARE YOU
STARING AT ME
LIKE THAT FOR?


STOP PRETENDING
TO BE HURT, AND
GET UP ALREADY!!





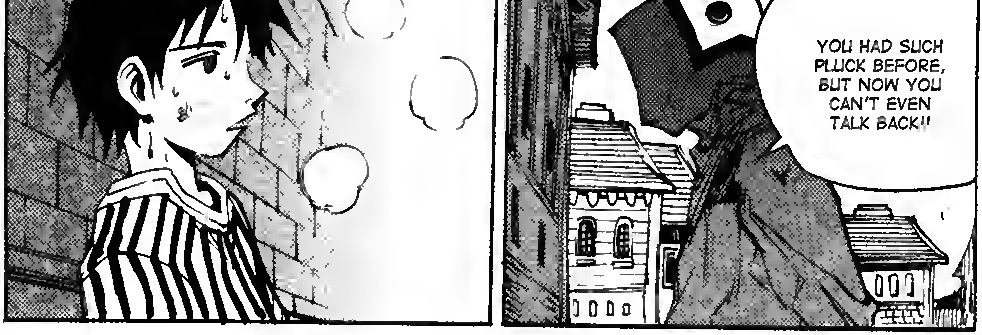
MIKAEL.
IT'S BEEN SO LONG!!

THERE'S NO TIME. FIRST, PICK UP YOUR SWORD!!

SHALL WE TEAM UP TOGETHER, FOR THE FIRST TIME IN A LONG TIME?
I SAY WE SEND HIS HEAD FLYING!!

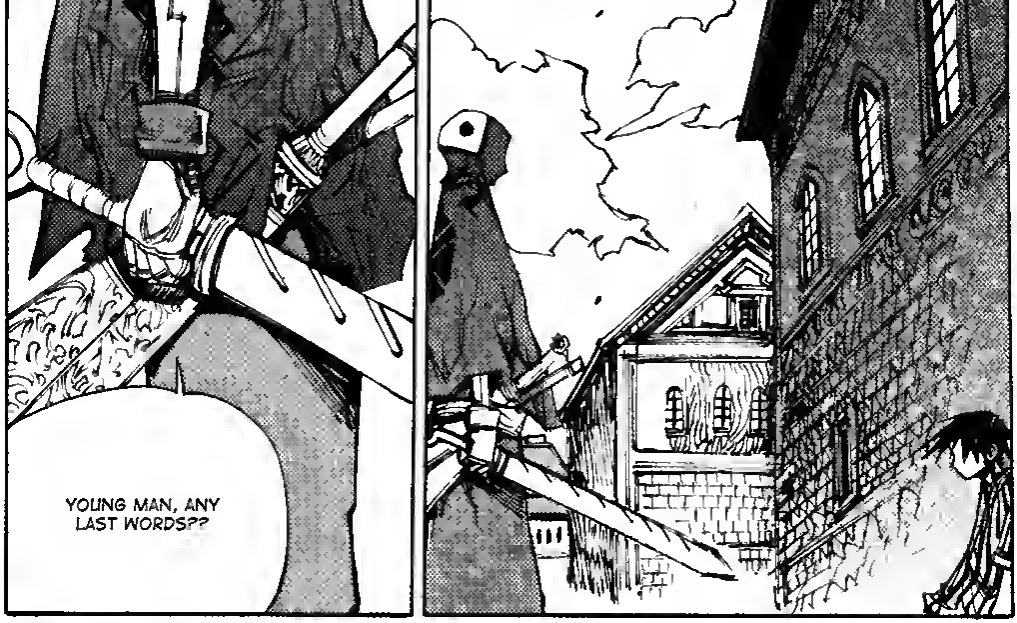
JUST HOW IN THE WORLD DID YOU GET HERE?

THERE'S NO TIME! ISN'T BAROONA IN DANGER?

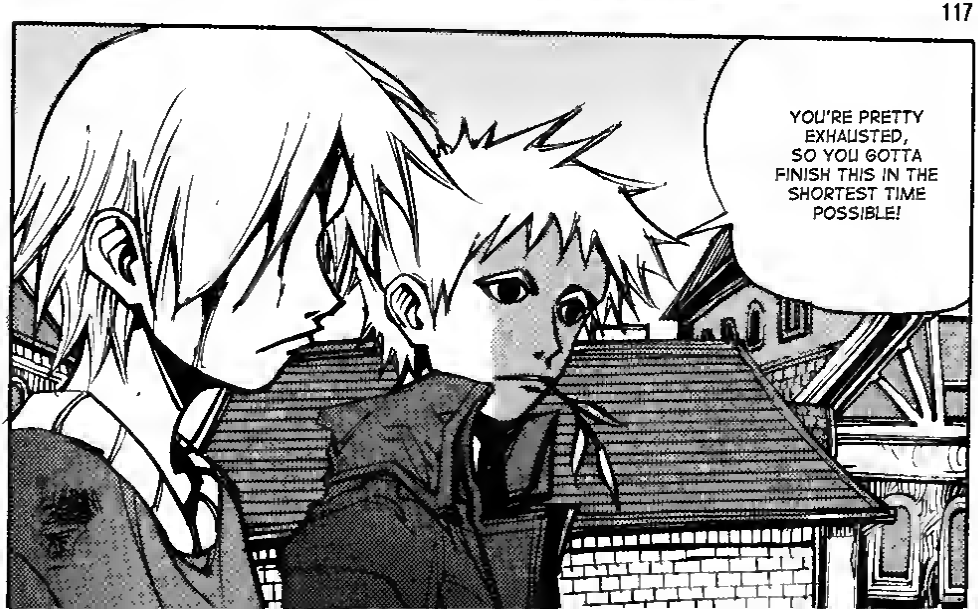

YOU HAD SUCH PLUCK BEFORE, BUT NOW YOU CAN'T EVEN TALK BACK!!

LET'S GO, ARES!!

YEAH!!

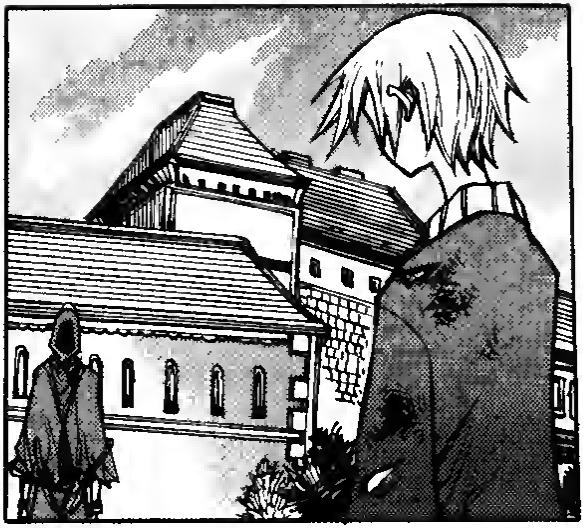

YOUNG MAN, ANY LAST WORDS??

BE CAREFUL, OLD MAN!! THAT ARES, HE SEEMS A LITTLE PISSED OFF RIGHT NOW.


YOU'RE PRETTY EXHAUSTED, SO YOU GOTTA FINISH THIS IN THE SHORTEST TIME POSSIBLE!

I KNOW ALREADY, JERK.

HE'S TOTALLY OFF HIS ROCKERS! TALKING INTO EMPTY SPACE BY HIMSELF.



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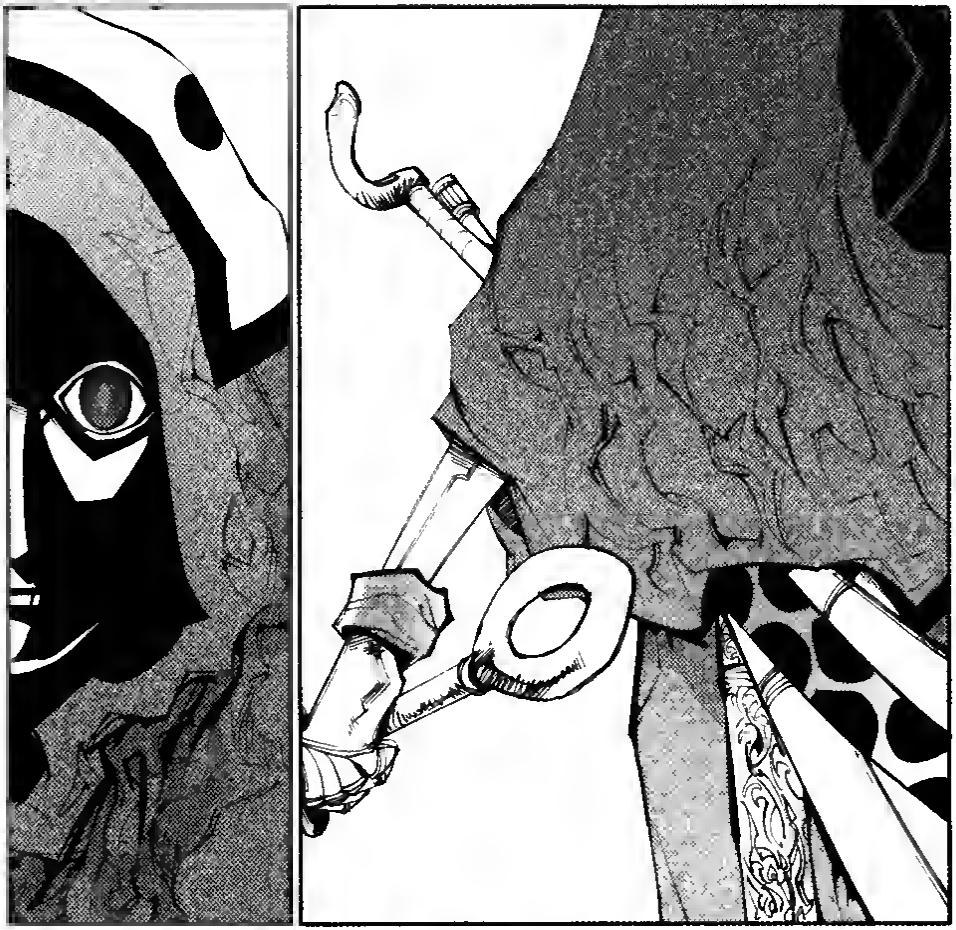

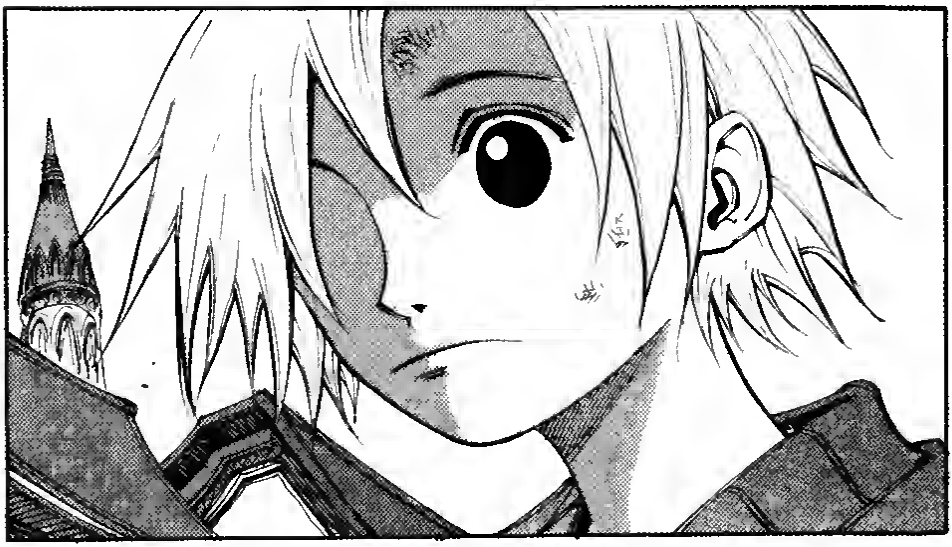

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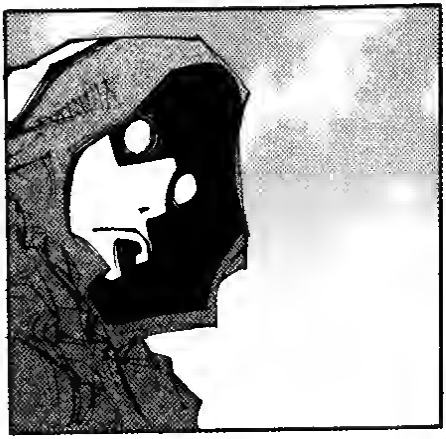

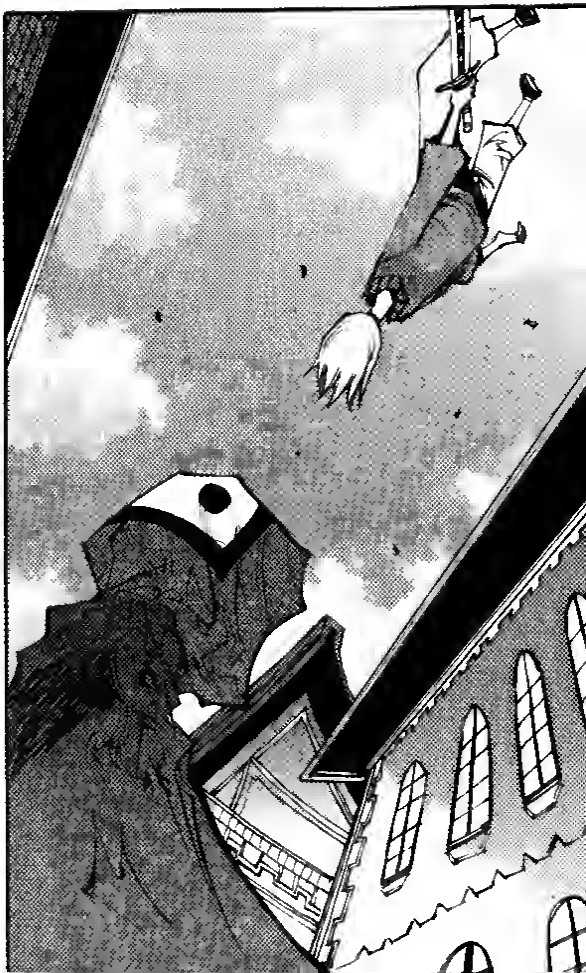

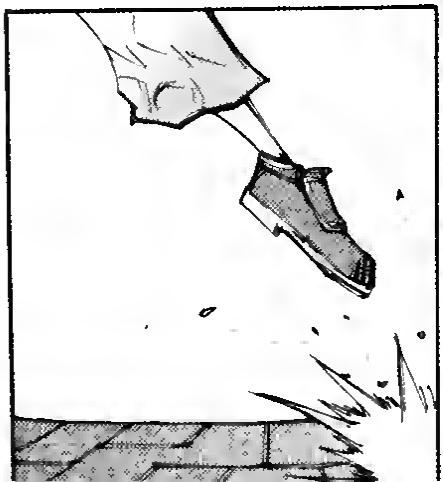

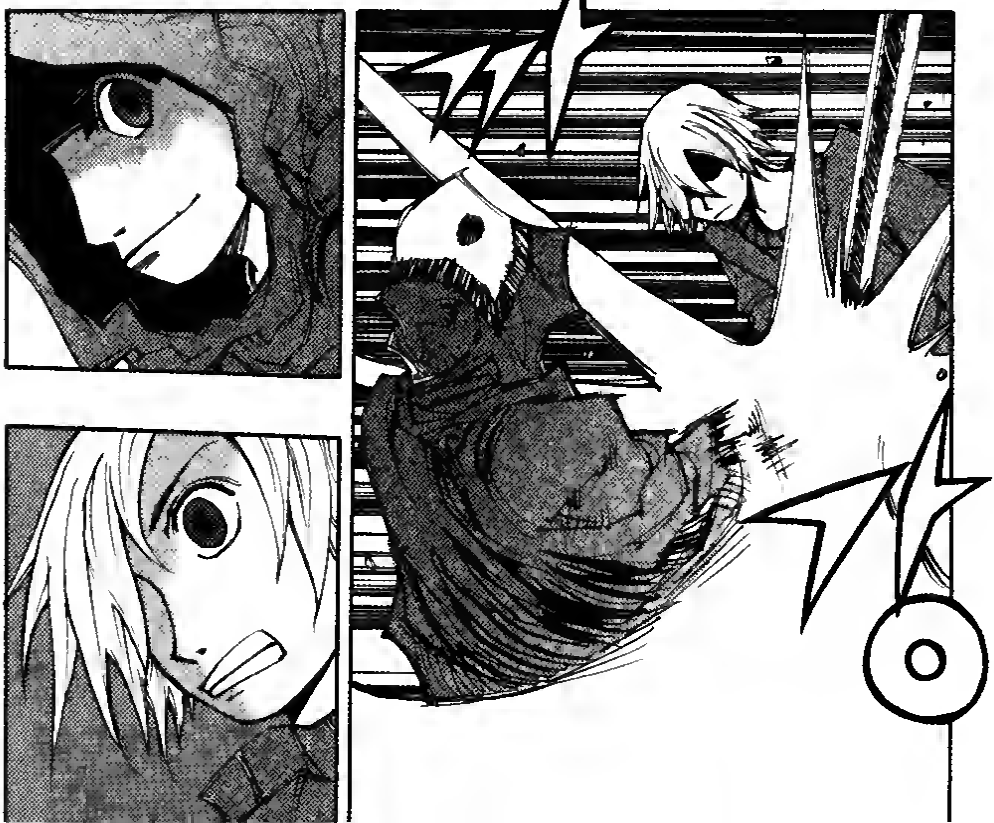

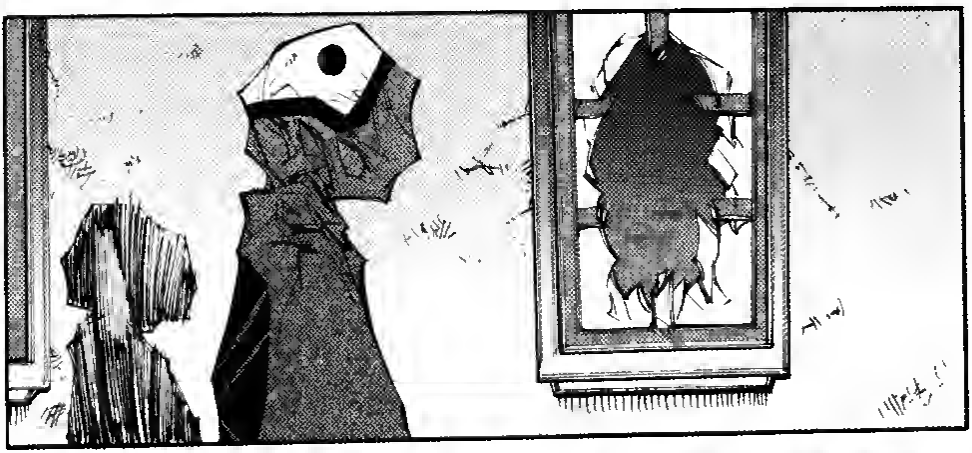

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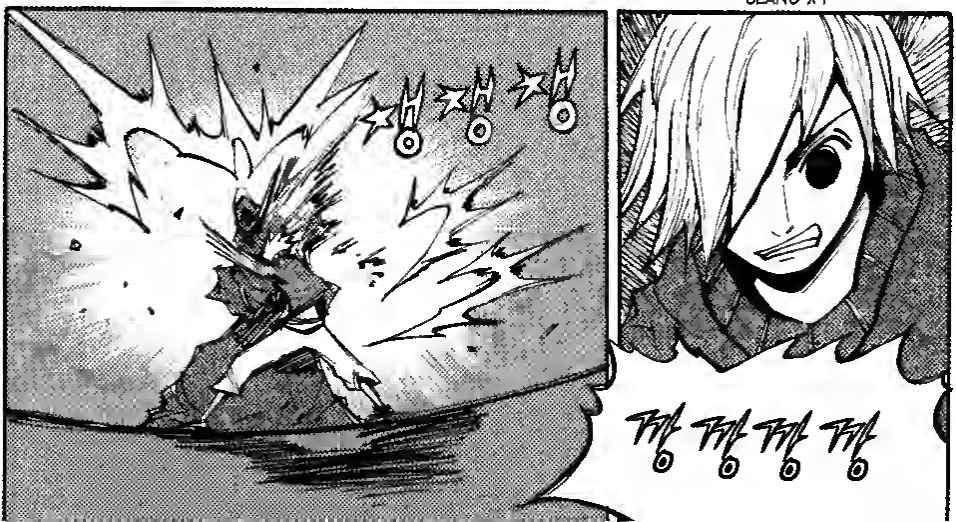

THIS BRAT SHOULDN'T HAVE THIS MUCH STRENGTH LEFT... SO HOW??

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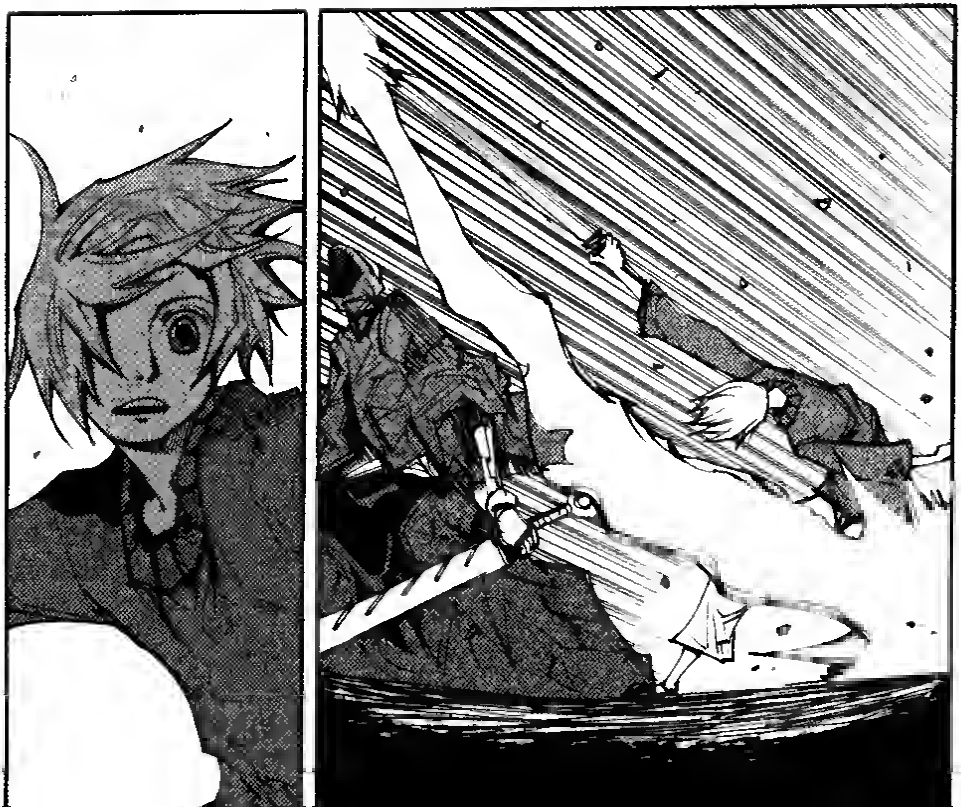

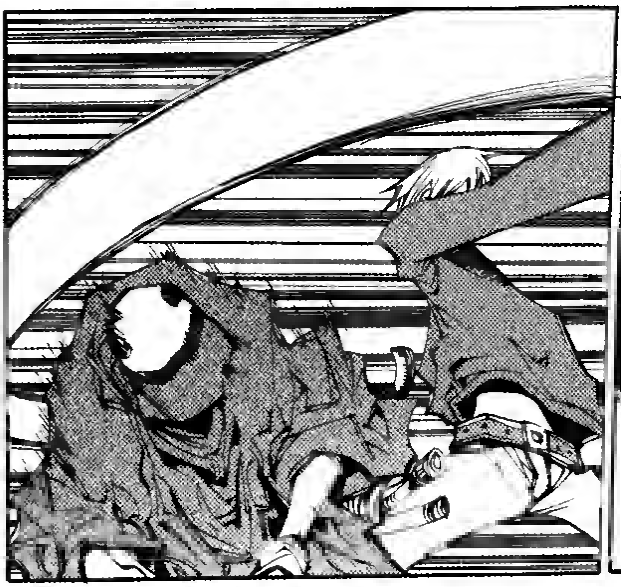

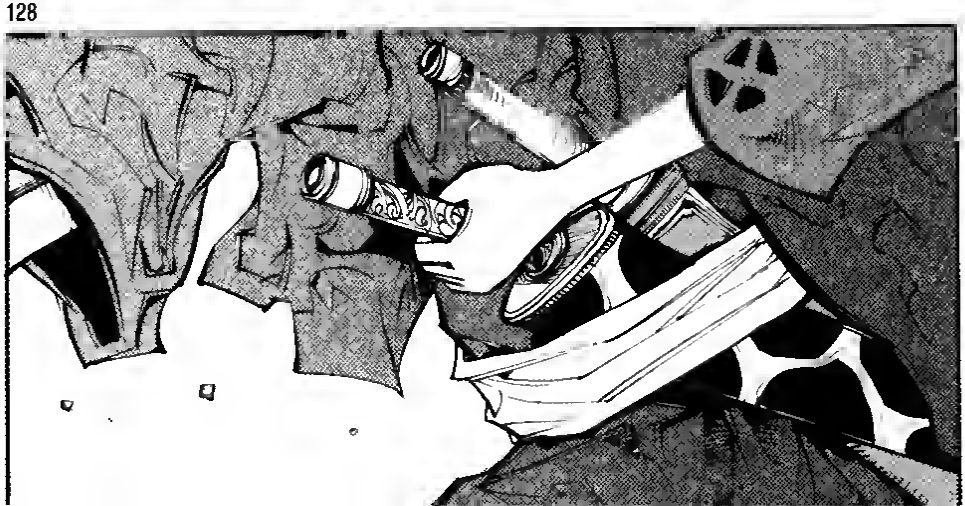

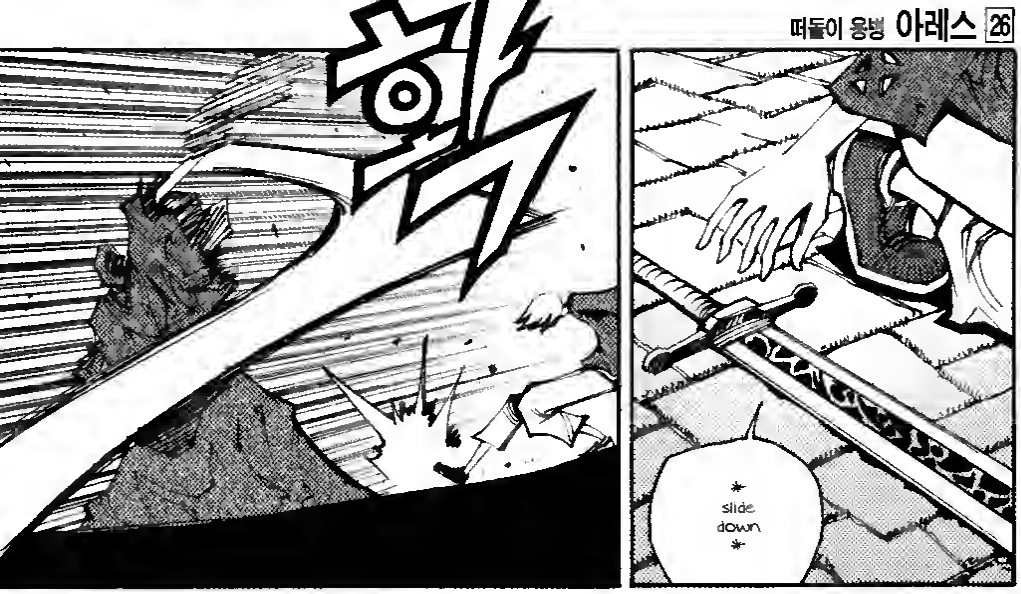
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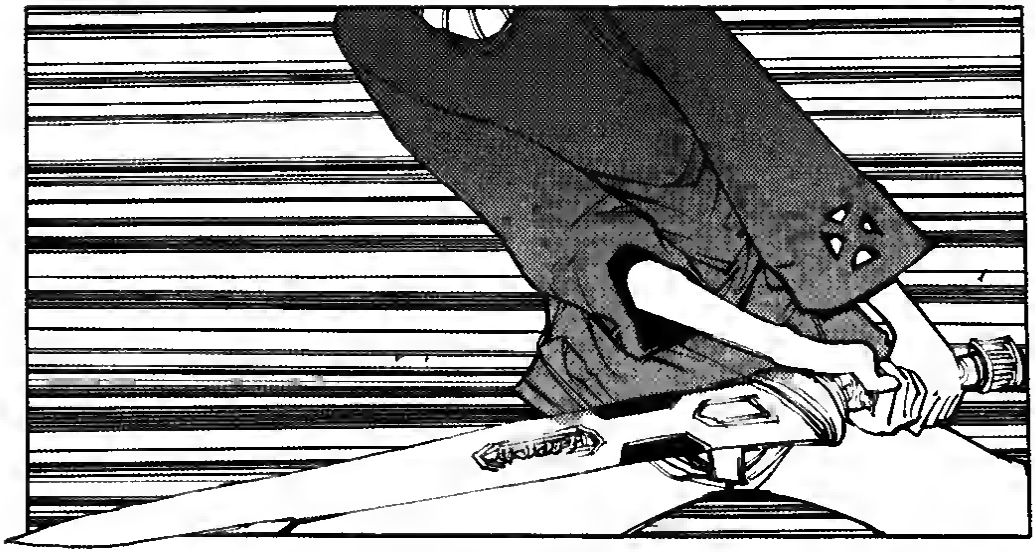
THERE'S NO WEAPON BETTER THAN THAT SWORD TO FINISH HIM OFF!!

HUHU~
SO YOU INTEND ON CONFRONTING ME WITH YOUR MASTER'S SWORD, IS THAT IT?
YOU'VE GOT IT WRONG! THIS ISN'T MY MASTER'S, THIS IS MINE!!
WHEN I WAS YOUNGER, HE GAVE IT TO ME.*
[*- SEE CH53, FIGHT AGAINST THE NEO-KNIGHT DOJANG, ALSO FLASHBACK]
YOU IMPUDENT BRAT



THE REFRESHING SOUND OF WIND?!
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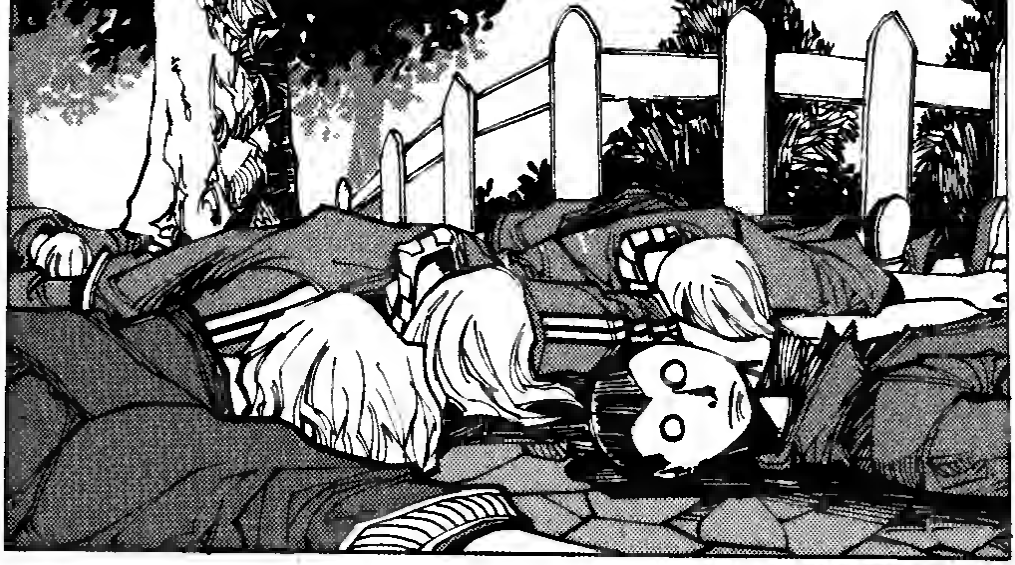

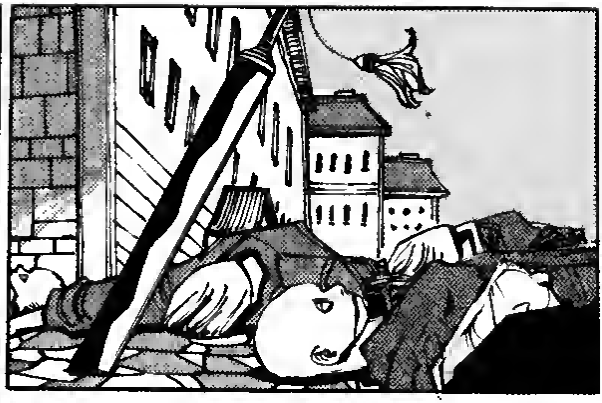

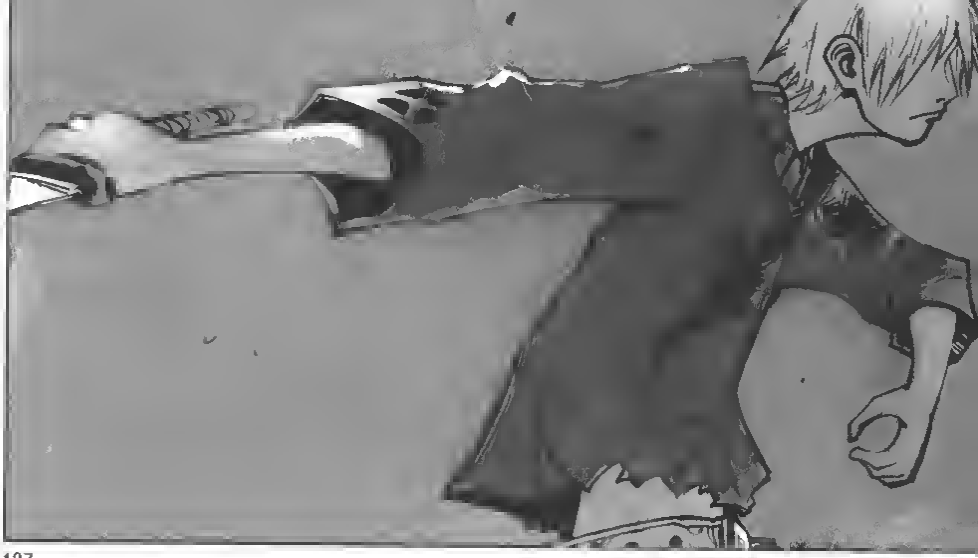

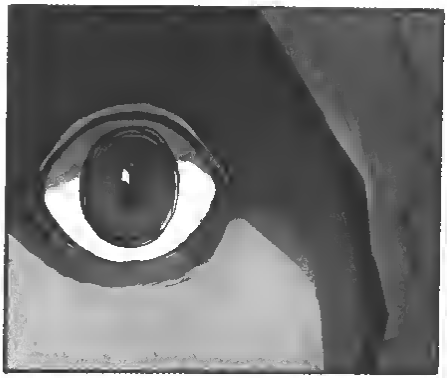

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IT'S TIME FOR ME TO GET GOING NOW.

WHAT ARE YOU S. YING? DON'T GO, MIKAEL!!
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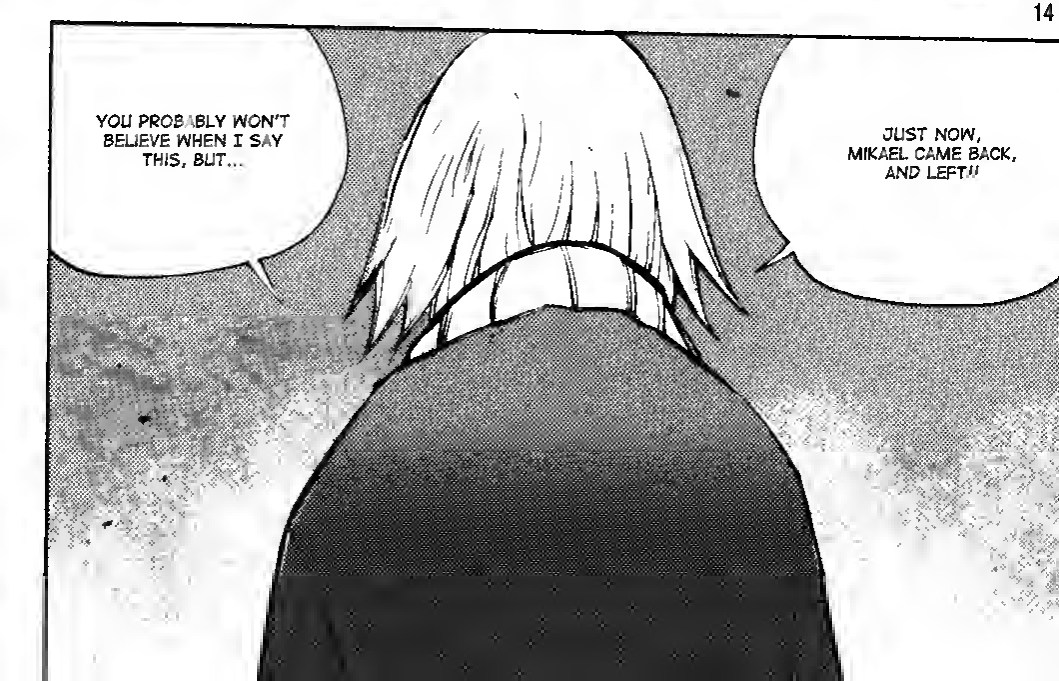
FAREWELL, ARES!!

ARES, WHAT'S WRONG?? ARE YOU ALRIGHT?!
WUUK!! BASTARD, HE COULD HAVE STUCK AROUND A LITTLE LONGER!!
BAROONA!!


YOU PROBABLY WON'T BELIEVE WHEN I SAY THIS, BUT...
JUST NOW, MIKAEL CAME BACK, AND LEFT!!

HE PROMISED, WAY BACK WHEN WE WERE IN TOLLINO*, THAT HE'D HELP ME GET REVENGE, HE MUST HAVE COME BACK TO KEEP THAT PROMISE!!
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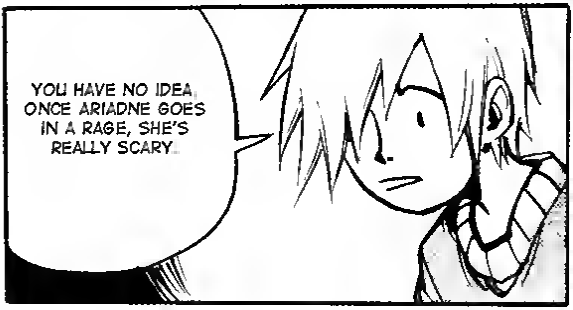
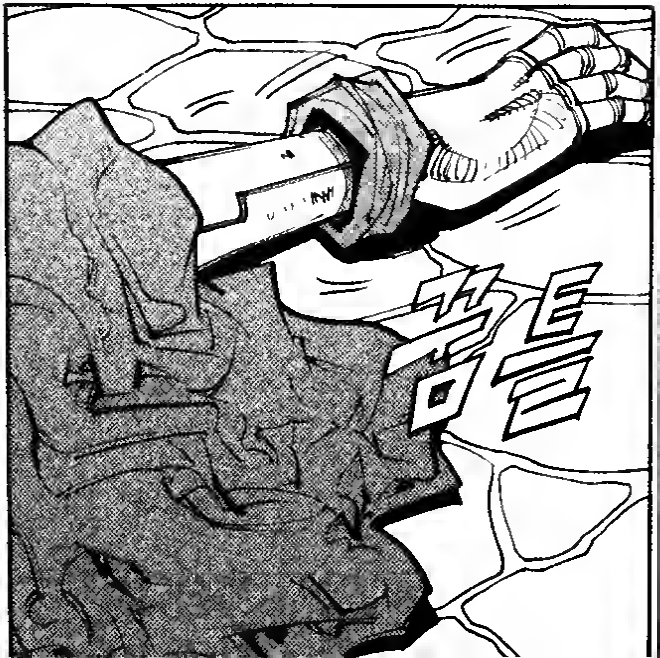
[*- SEE CH47 & 58]

WHAT A CLEAR SKY, TODAY!!
YEAH.
SO, IS ARIADNE REALLY MAD AT ME??
YEP! SHE'S TOTALLY PISSED!!
UK!! I'M AFRAID TO GO BACK NOW

FOR THE TOP SWORDSMAN ON EARTH WHO DEFEATED THE RED-EYED SWORDSMAN, BEING AFRAID OF A WOMAN SOUNDS A LITTLE WEIRD.


YOU HAVE NO IDEA. ONCE ARIADNE GOES IN A RAGE, SHE'S REALLY SCARY.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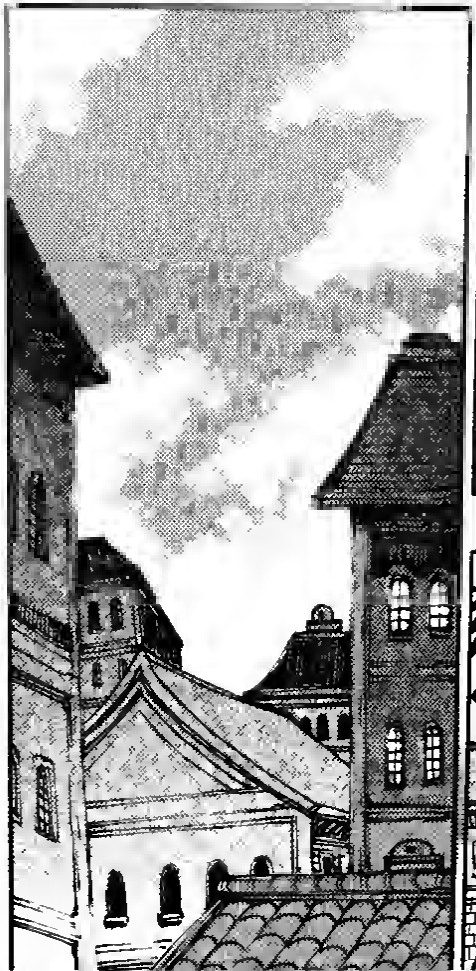
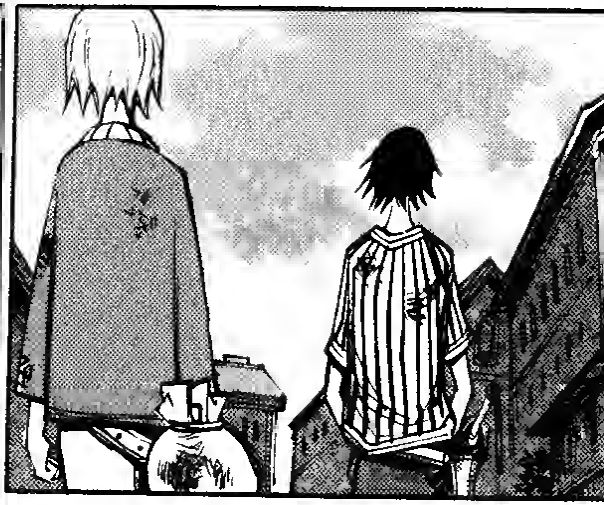
WE MERCENARIES HAVE EYES IN THE BACK OF OUR HEADS!!





WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO WITH THE BOUNTY?
HAHA. I HAVE IT PLANNED OUT!!

A FEW DAYS LATER
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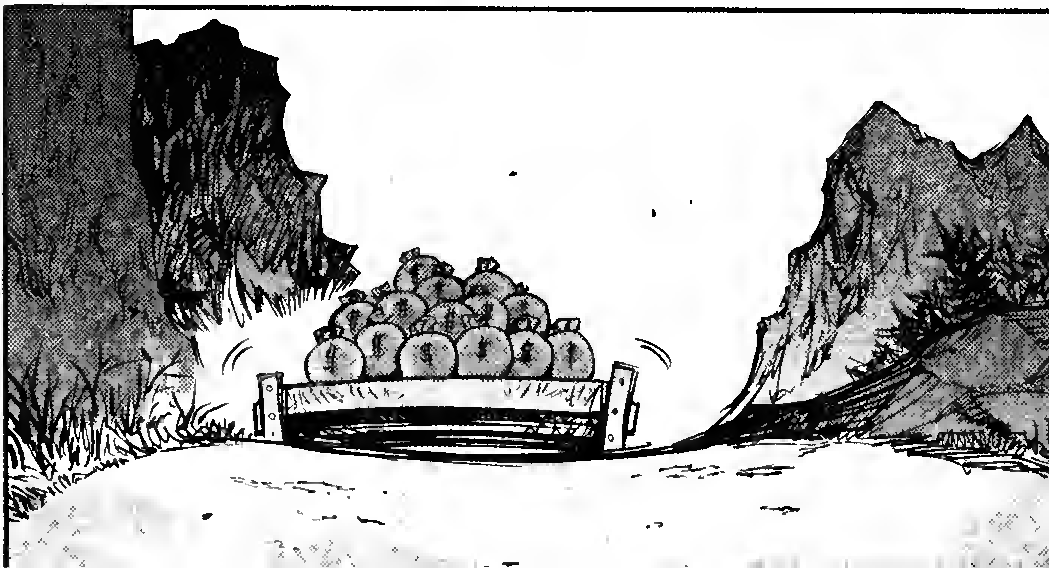
HEHE. THANK YOU VERY MUCH, ELDER!!
YOU'RE TOO KIND. YOU AVENGED MY FRIEND'S DEATH, SO I AM THE ONE WHO IS GRATEFUL TO YOU!!
HAHAHA! INDEED, WHO WOULD BE FOOLISH ENOUGH TO ATTACK THE PERSON WHO DEFEATED THE RED-EYED SWORDSMAN!!
WILL YOU BE ALRIGHT TAKING THAT MUCH MONEY WITH YOU? I CAN SEND ALONG SOME GUARDS.
THANKS, BUT WE'LL BE ALRIGHT!!

MOVE IT, YOU! BASTARD!
LILIK!!
STOP DAWDLING, AND MOVE!

EH? THAT PERSON... DID HE DO SOMETHING WRONG?
HE'S THE LOWLIFE WHO SOLD OUT THE HUNTERS AND THEIR LOCATIONS!! UNFORGIVABLE BASTARD!!



COULD YOU DRIVE THE WAGON GENTLY SO IT WON'T ROCK SO MUCH? I'M GONNA GET MOTION SICKNESS
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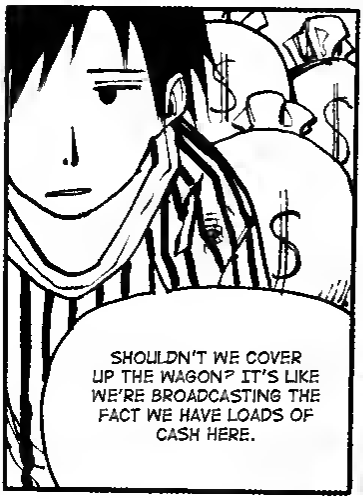
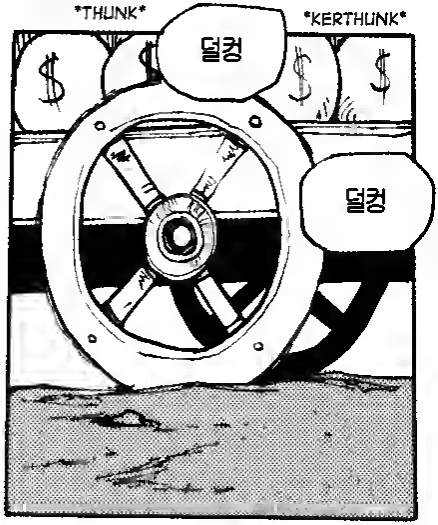

SHOULDN'T WE COVER UP THE WAGON? IT'S LIKE WE'RE BROADCASTING THE FACT WE HAVE LOADS OF CASH HERE.

NAAAH~ TOO BOTHERSOME, WE'RE FINE!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SIGH~

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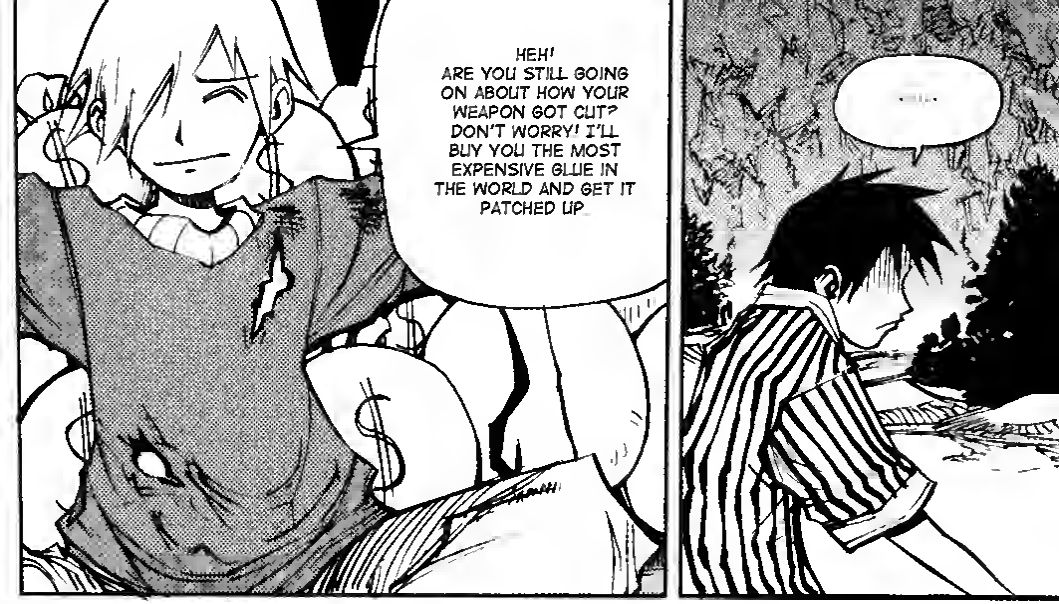
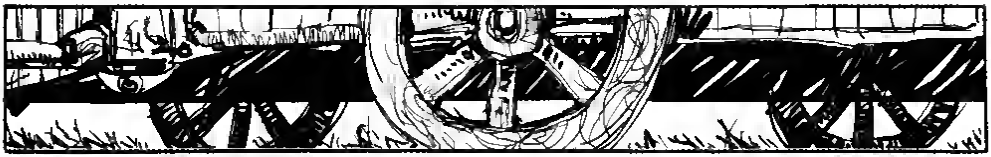
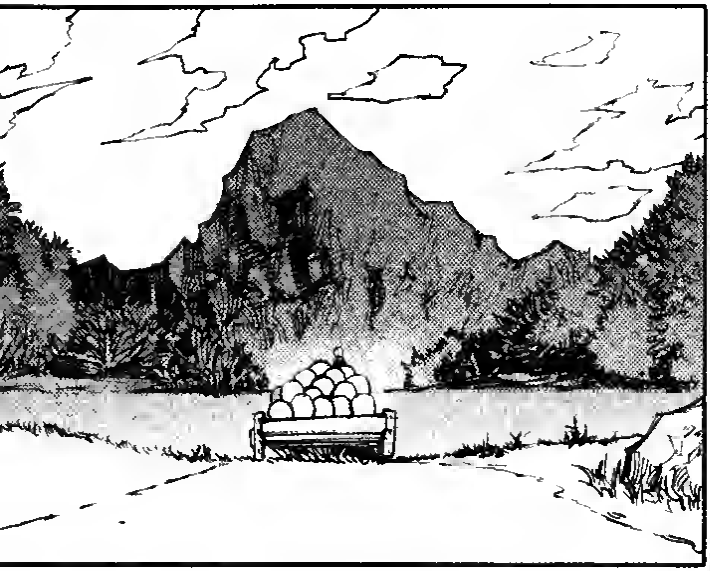

HEH!
ARE YOU STILL GOING ON ABOUT HOW YOUR WEAPON GOT CUT? DON'T WORRY! I'LL BUY YOU THE MOST EXPENSIVE GLUE IN THE WORLD AND GET IT PATCHED UP.

YOU WANNA GO BACK FIRST?? I HAVE A FEW PLACES I NEED TO GO TO!!
SO YOU'RE SAYING YOU'RE GONNA TAKE THE DOUGH AND RUN, HUH?
NO, YOU BIG JERK! WHAT KIND OF A PERSON DO YOU TAKE ME FOR?
IF THAT'S NOT IT, I'LL GO WITH YOU.





THIS IS THE PLACE WHERE I FIRST MET MY MASTER!
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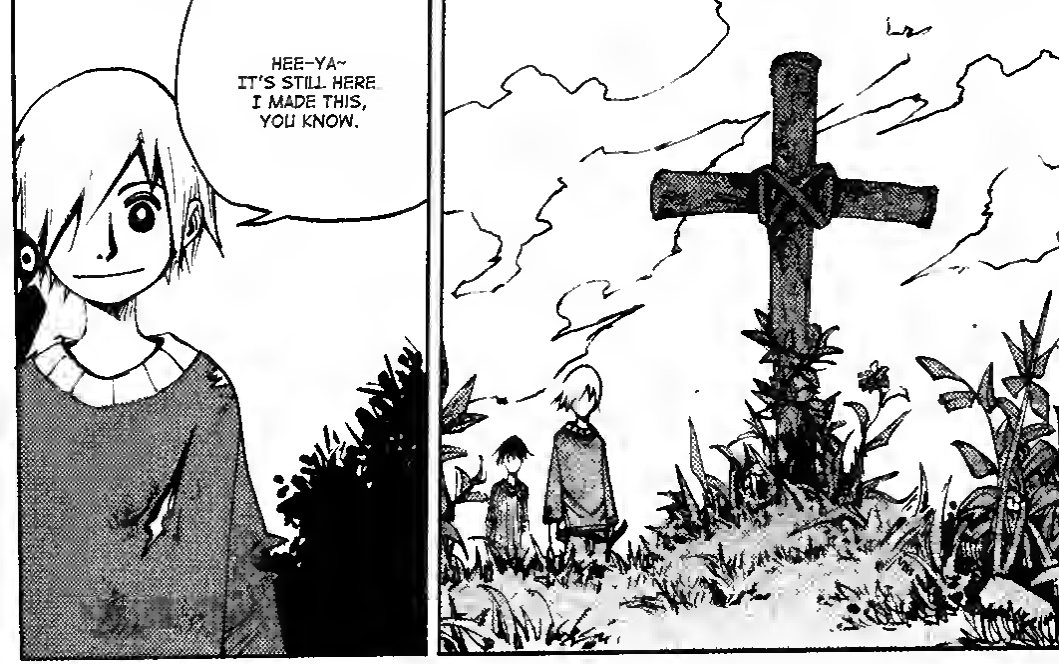
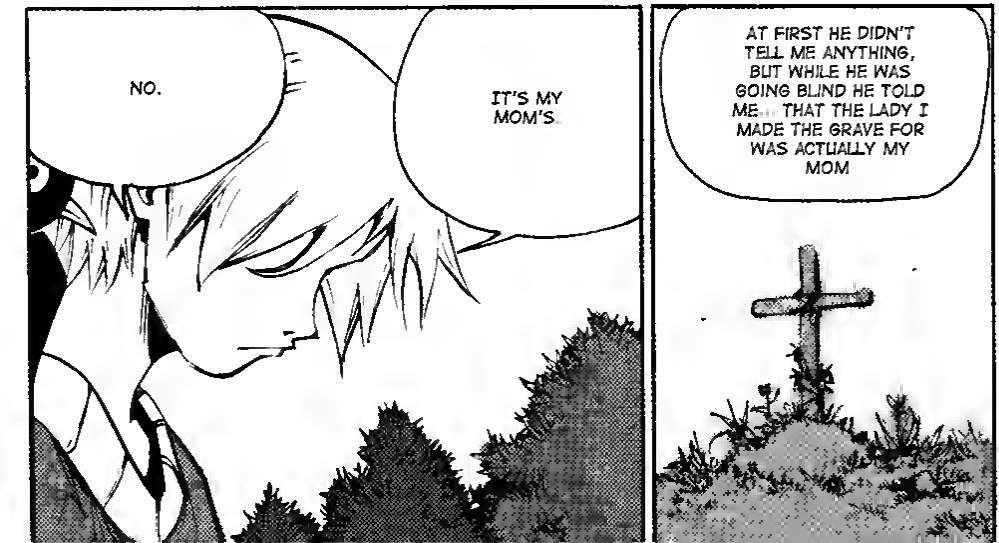
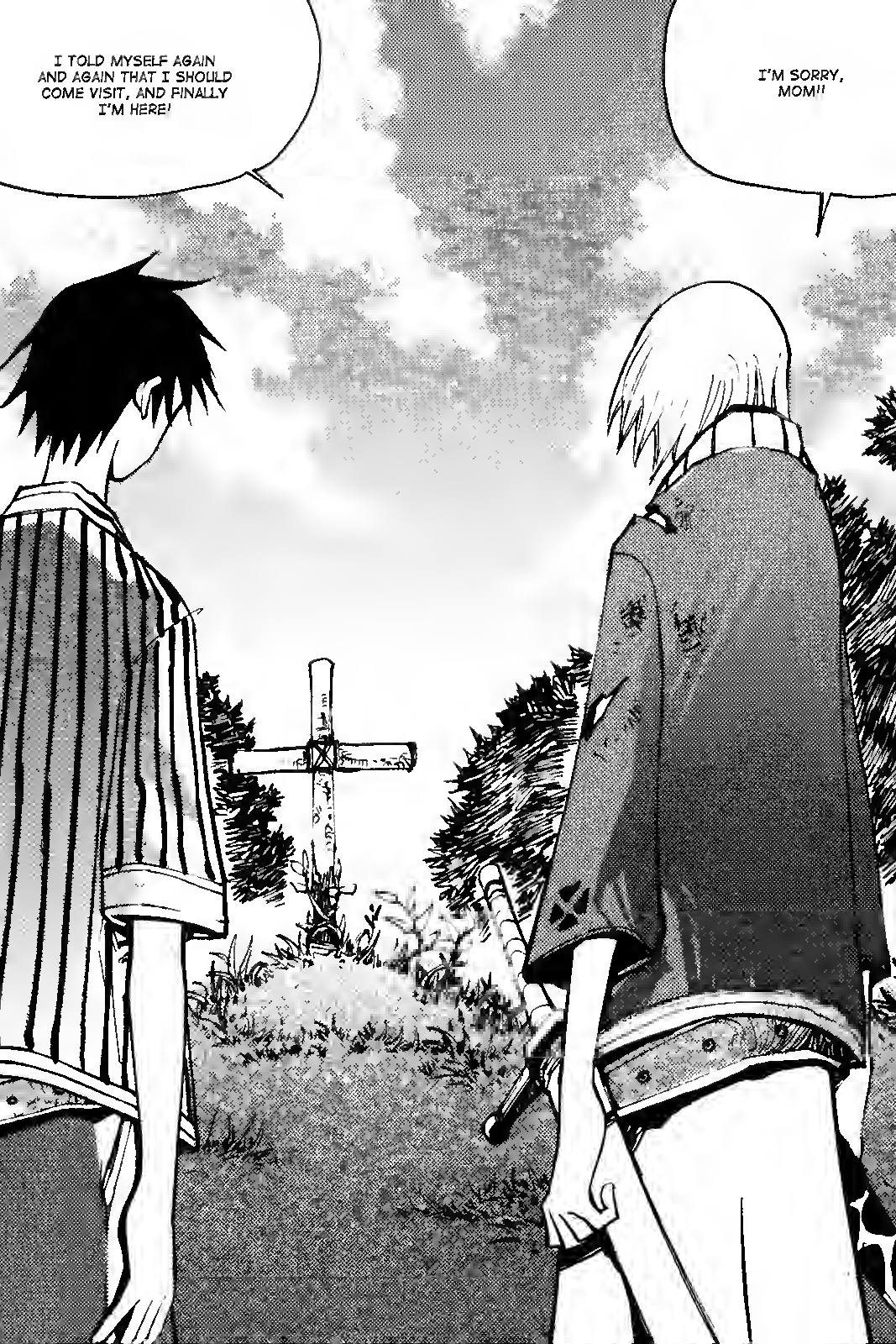
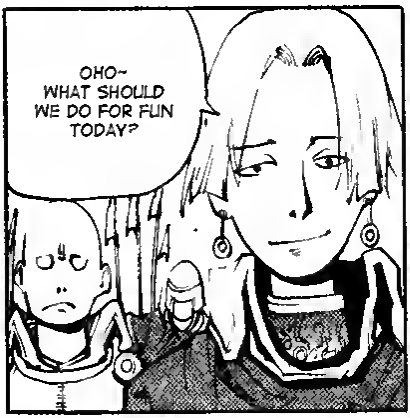
LET'S TIE UP THE WAGON AND GO UP!!

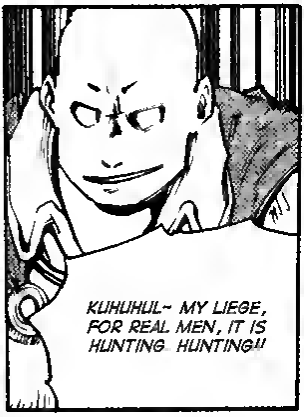

HEE-YA~
IT'S STILL HERE.
I MADE THIS,
YOU KNOW.

IS THIS YOUR
MASTER'S GRAVE?

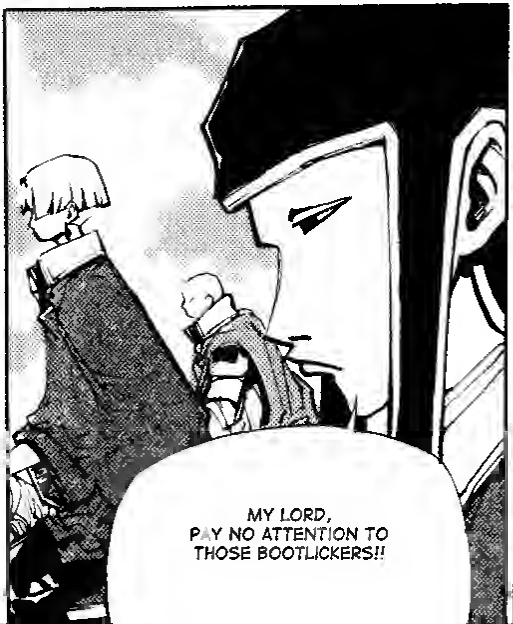

NO.
IT'S MY
MOM'S.
AT FIRST HE DIDN'T
TELL ME ANYTHING,
BUT WHILE HE WAS
GOING BLIND HE TOLD
ME... THAT THE LADY I
MADE THE GRAVE FOR
WAS ACTUALLY MY
MOM


I TOLD MYSELF AGAIN AND AGAIN THAT I SHOULD COME VISIT, AND FINALLY I'M HERE!
I'M SORRY, MOM!!


OHO~
WHAT SHOULD WE DO FOR FUN TODAY?

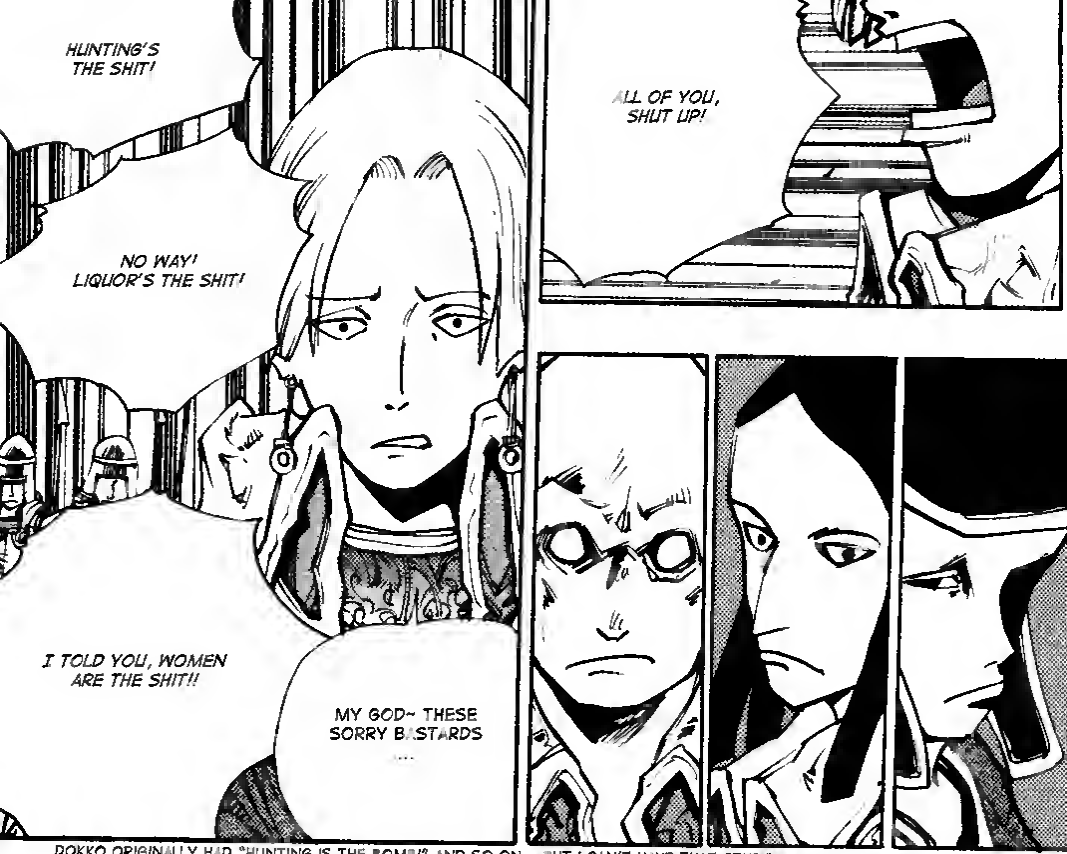

KUHUHUL~ MY LIEGE, FOR REAL MEN, IT IS HUNTING HUNTING!!

NO WAY
FOR MEN, IT HAS TO BE LIQUOR! DRINKING DURING THE DAY IS THE BEST

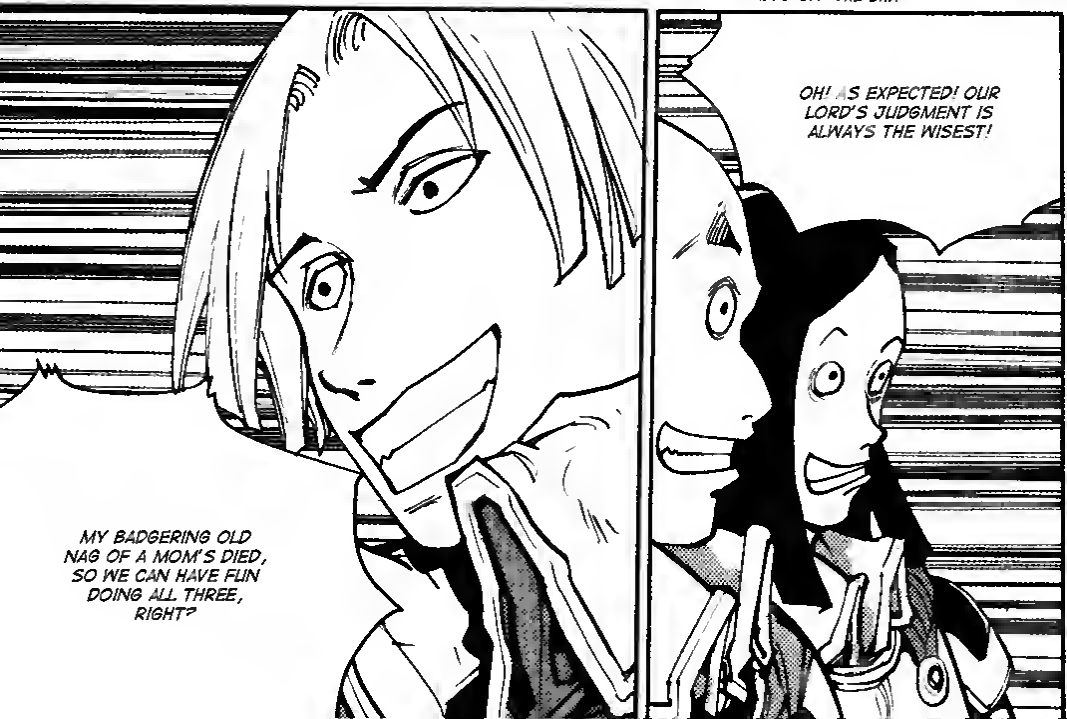

MY LORD,
PAY NO ATTENTION TO THOSE BOOTLICKERS!!

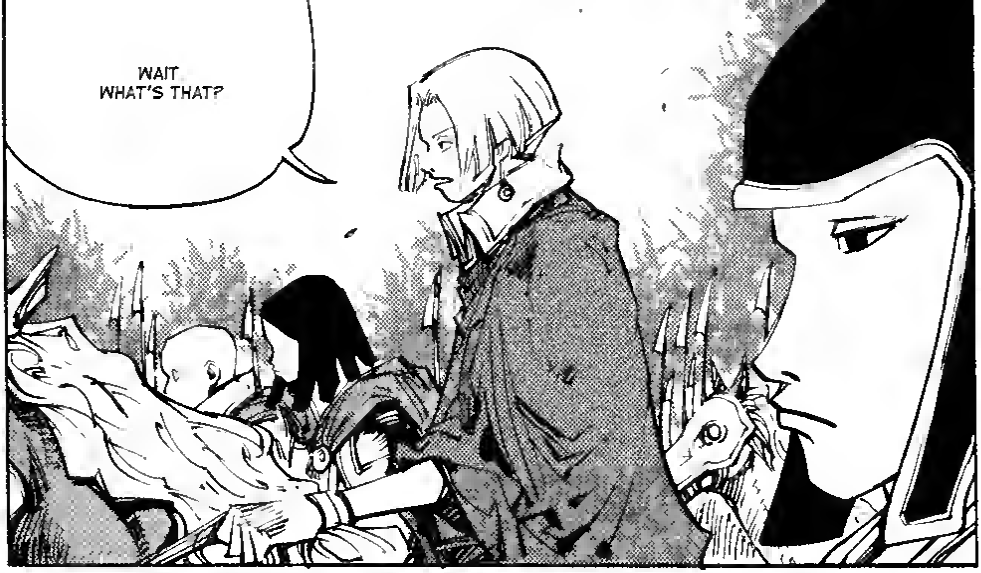
FOR TRUE MEN,
ABOVE ALL ELSE

PARTYING WITH THE WOMEN IS THE SHIT!!
HUHUHU

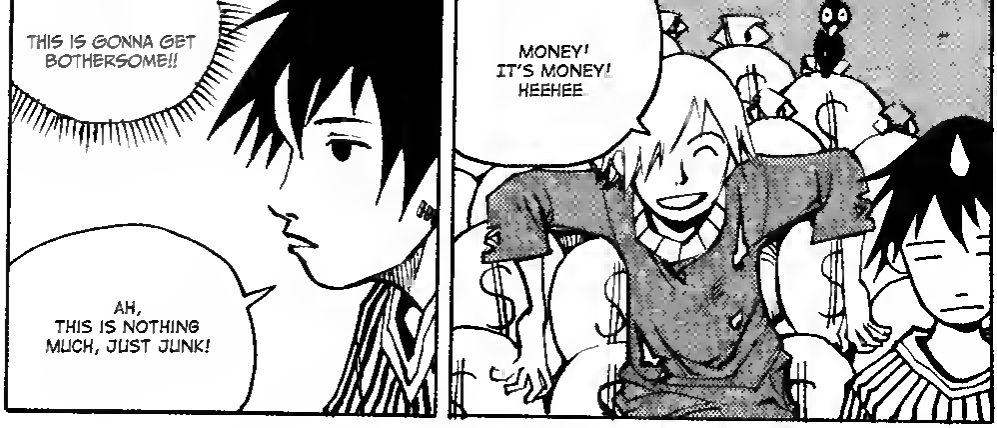


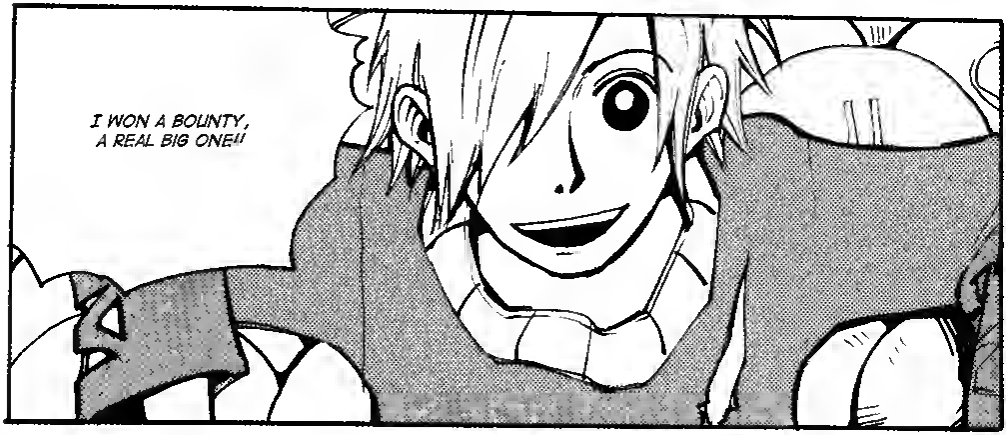
DOKKO ORIGINALLY HAD "HUNTING IS THE BOMB!" AND SO ON... BUT I CAN'T HAVE THAT STUPID WORD IN ARES... BUT TO AT LEAST MAKE THE LACKEYS SOUND AS RETARDED AS IN THE ORIGINAL TEXT WE DECIDED ON "THE SHIT"

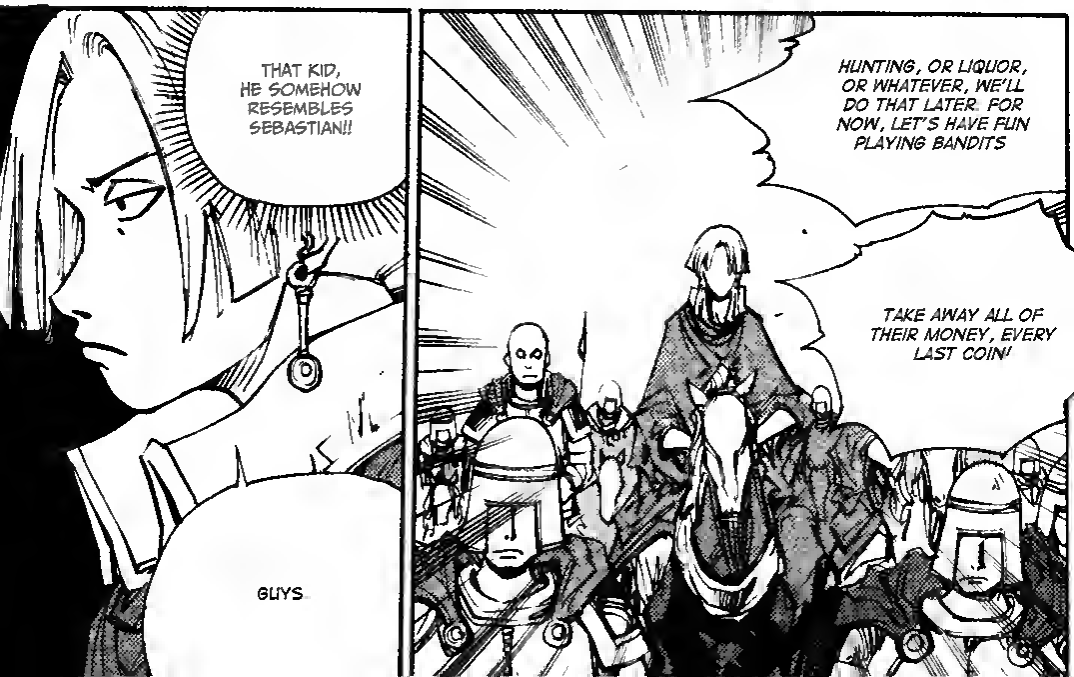

MY BADGERING OLD NAG OF A MOM'S DIED, SO WE CAN HAVE FUN DOING ALL THREE, RIGHT?
OH! AS EXPECTED! OUR LORD'S JUDGMENT IS ALWAYS THE WISEST!


WAIT
WHAT'S THAT?

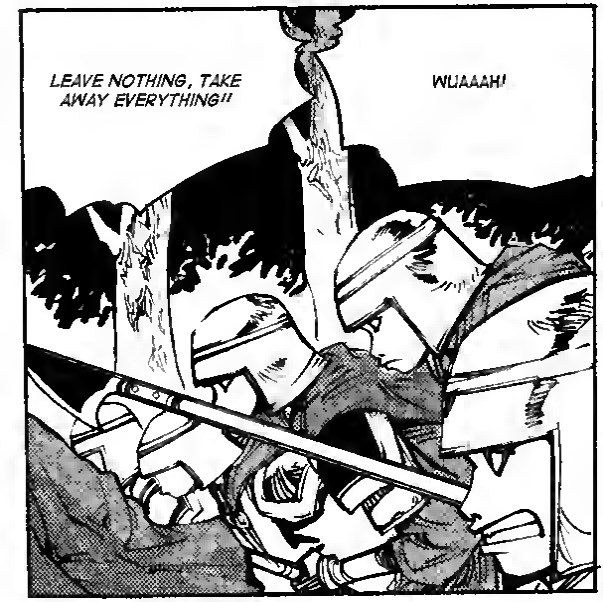
OY, YOU TWO.
WHAT IS ALL
THAT IN YOUR
WAGON?


THIS IS GONNA GET BOTHERSOME!!
AH, THIS IS NOTHING MUCH, JUST JUNK!
MONEY! IT'S MONEY! HEEHEE


I WON A BOUNTY, A REAL BIG ONE!!


THAT KID, HE SOMEHOW RESEMBLES SEBASTIAN!!
GUYS
HUNTING, OR LIQUOR, OR WHATEVER, WE'LL DO THAT LATER. FOR NOW, LET'S HAVE FUN PLAYING BANDITS
TAKE AWAY ALL OF THEIR MONEY, EVERY LAST COIN!

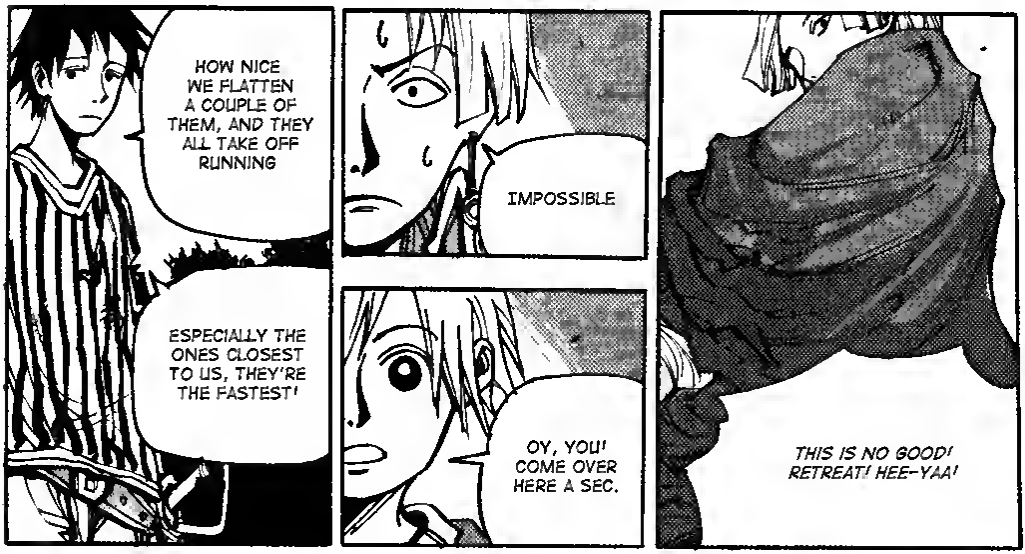
MY LIEGE, THAT'S A LITTLE... WE AREN'T BANDITS, AND...
WHAT DOES IT MATTER? I CAN DO WHATEVER I WANT IN MY OWN LAND. WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?!

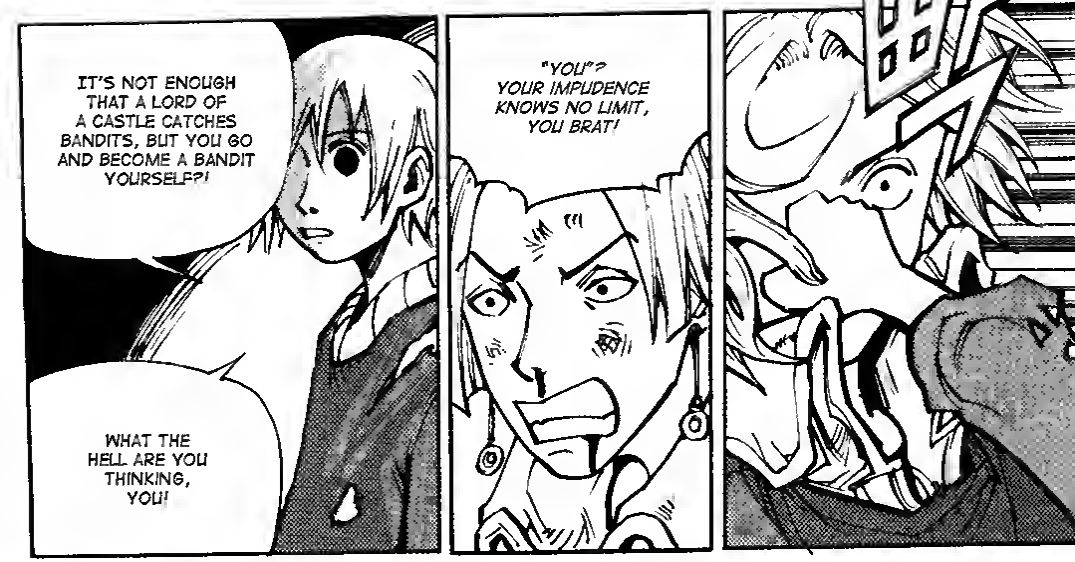

LEAVE NOTHING, TAKE AWAY EVERYTHING!!
WUAAAH!

THESE GUYS ARE REALLY BAD. WHY ARE THEY TAKING OTHER PEOPLE'S THINGS?

HUHU

MY LORD, THESE GUYS ARE TOO STRONG!!
WUUK.


HOW NICE WE FLATTEN A COUPLE OF THEM, AND THEY ALL TAKE OFF RUNNING
ESPECIALLY THE ONES CLOSEST TO US, THEY'RE THE FASTEST!
IMPOSSIBLE
OY, YOU! COME OVER HERE A SEC.
THIS IS NO GOOD! RETREAT! HEE-YAA!


IT'S NOT ENOUGH THAT A LORD OF A CASTLE CATCHES BANDITS, BUT YOU GO AND BECOME A BANDIT YOURSELF?!
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU THINKING, YOU!
"YOU"? YOUR IMPUDENCE KNOWS NO LIMIT, YOU BRAT!
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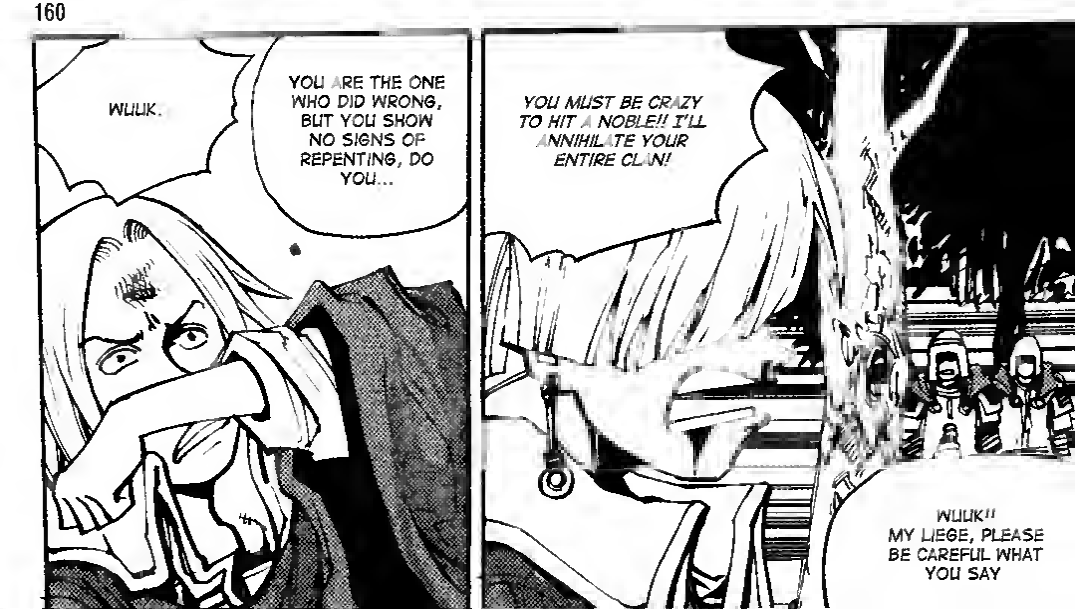
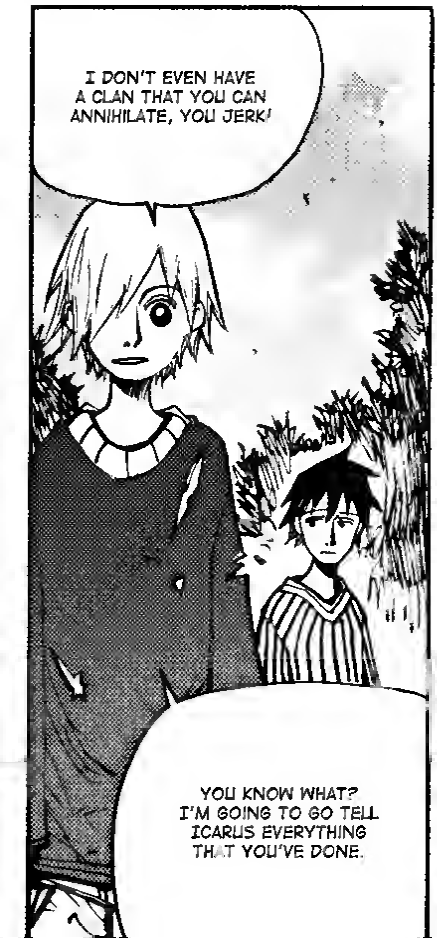
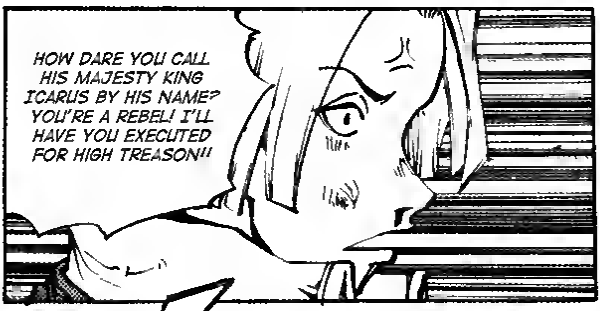
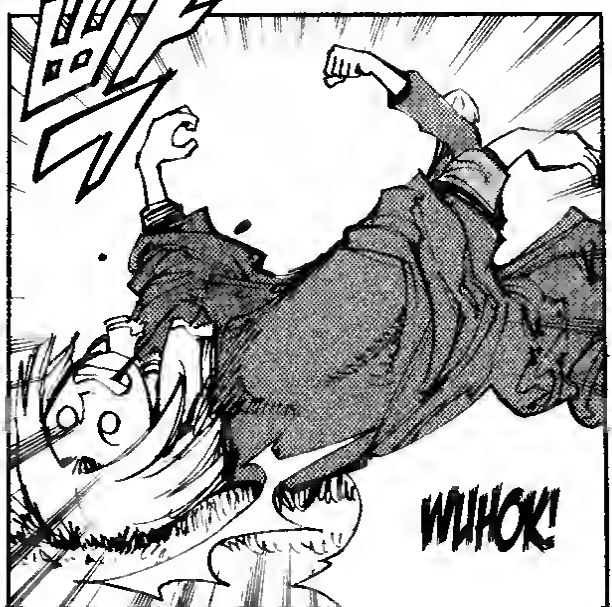

WUUK.
YOU ARE THE ONE WHO DID WRONG, BUT YOU SHOW NO SIGNS OF REPENTING, DO YOU...
YOU MUST BE CRAZY TO HIT A NOBLE!! I'LL ANNIHILATE YOUR ENTIRE CLAN!
WUUK!! MY LIEGE, PLEASE BE CAREFUL WHAT YOU SAY

BLAM


I DON'T EVEN HAVE A CLAN THAT YOU CAN ANNIHILATE, YOU JERK!
YOU KNOW WHAT? I'M GOING TO GO TELL ICARUS EVERYTHING THAT YOU'VE DONE.


HOW DARE YOU CALL HIS MAJESTY KING ICARUS BY HIS NAME? YOU'RE A REBEL! I'LL HAVE YOU EXECUTED FOR HIGH TREASON!!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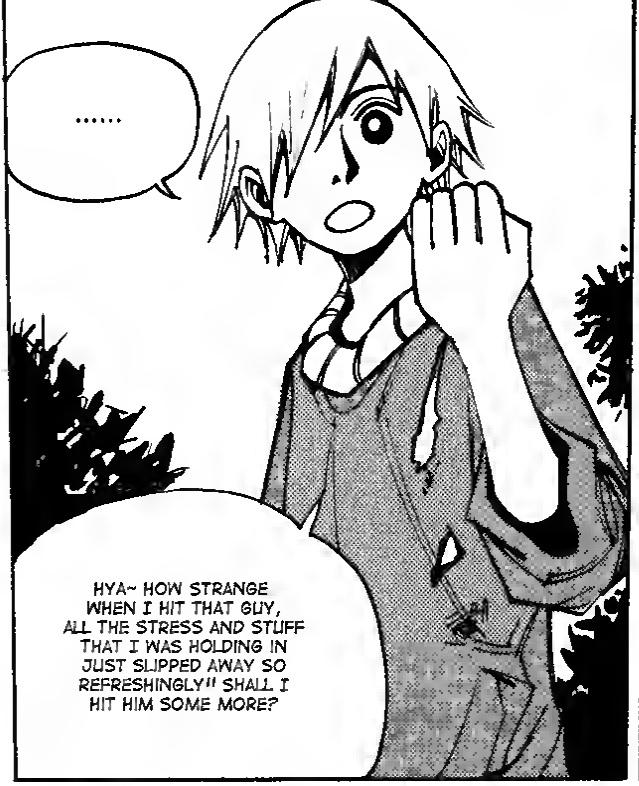
WUHOK!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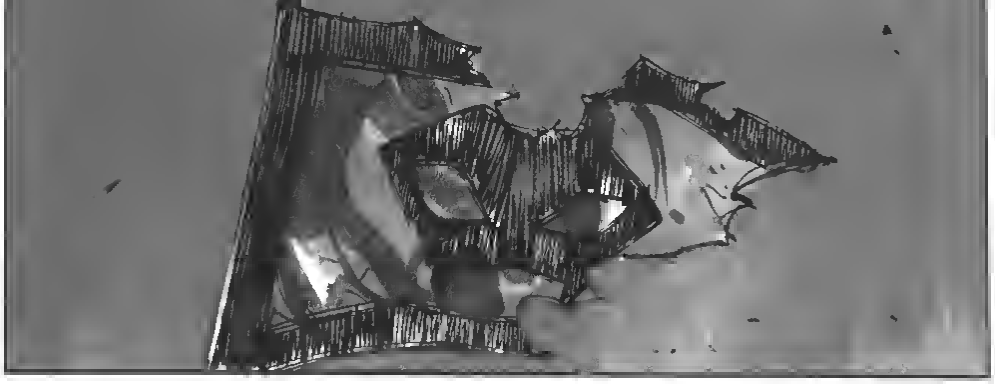
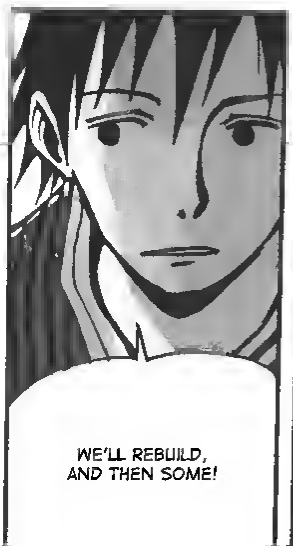
HYA~ HOW STRANGE WHEN I HIT THAT GUY, ALL THE STRESS AND STUFF THAT I WAS HOLDING IN JUST SLIPPED AWAY SO REFRESHINGLY!! SHALL I HIT HIM SOME MORE?

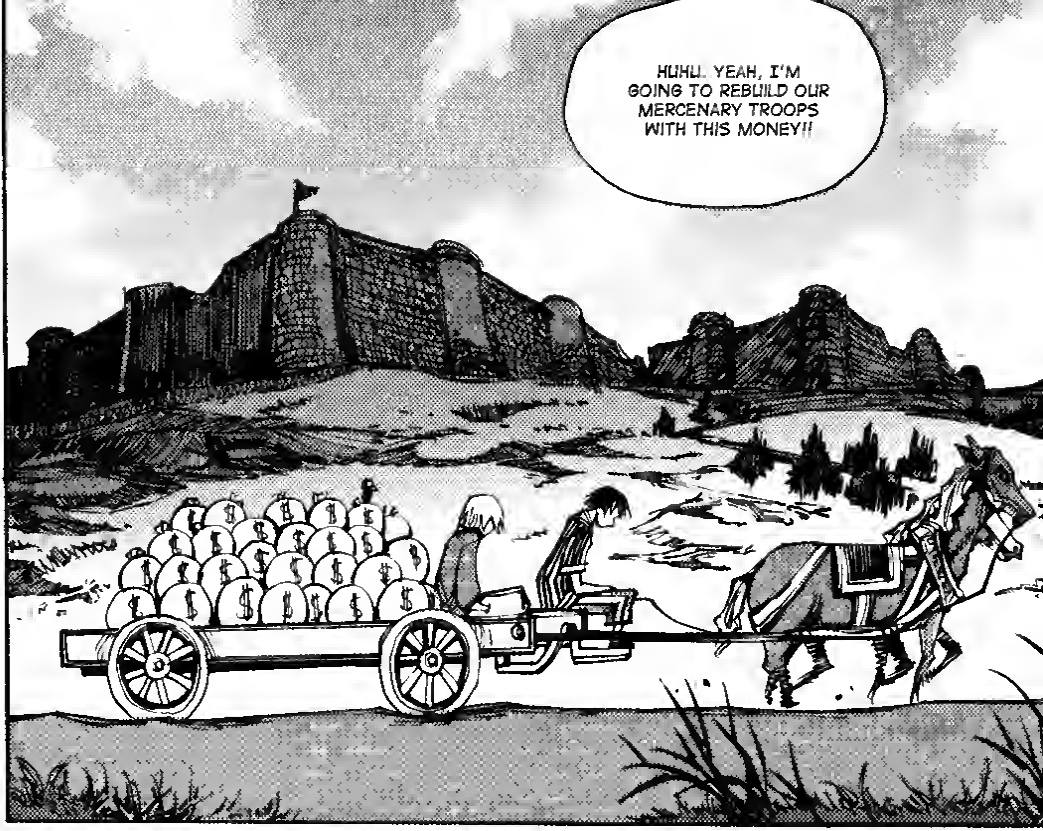
SO, ON THEIR WAY BACK, THEY REPORTED TO ICARUS THE STORY OF THIS LORD OF THE CASTLE, AND AS A RESULT, ICARUS CONFISCATED THE LORD'S TITLE AND HIS WEALTH.

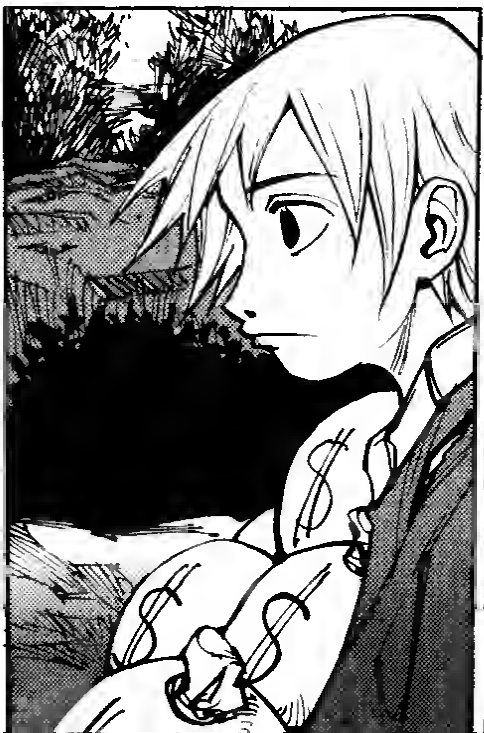


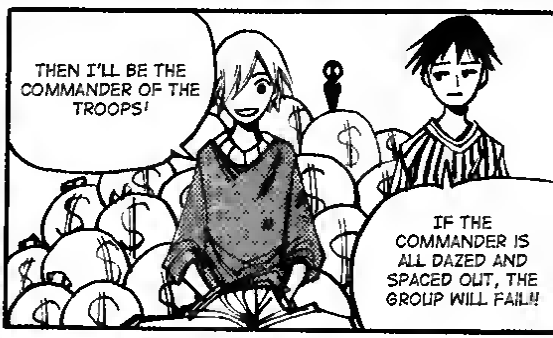
DO YOU THINK WE CAN REBUILD THE MERCENARY TROOPS WITH THIS AMOUNT OF MONEY?


WE'LL REBUILD, AND THEN SOME!

REALLY??

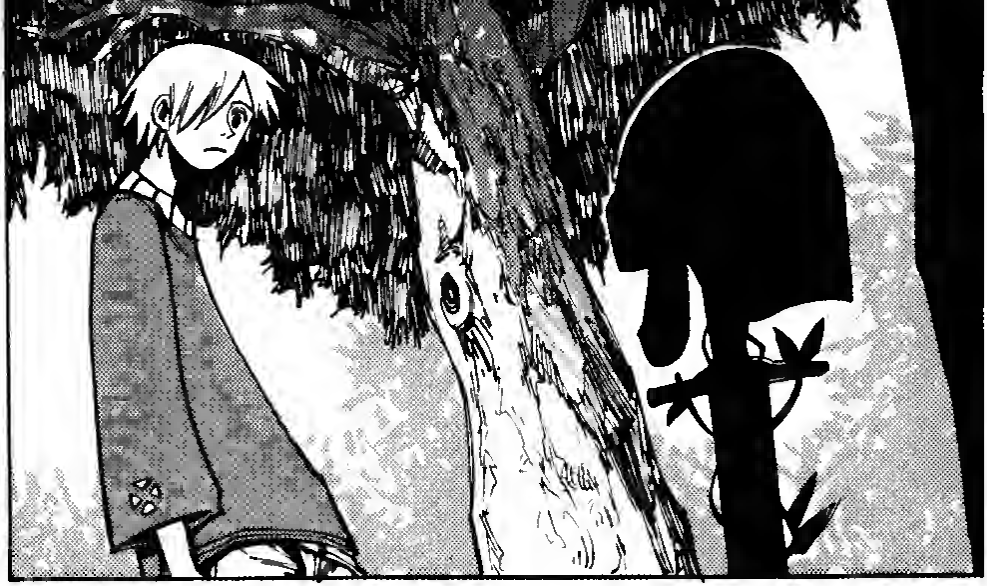

HUHU. YEAH, I'M GOING TO REBUILD OUR MERCENARY TROOPS WITH THIS MONEY!!



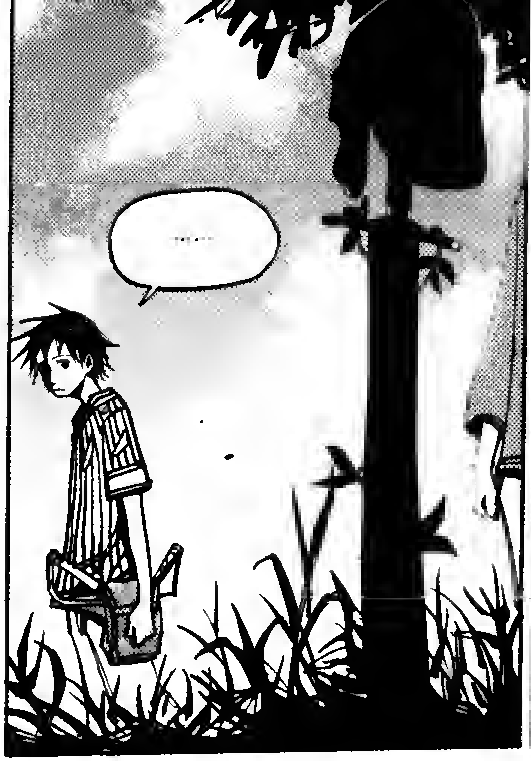

THEN I'LL BE THE COMMANDER OF THE TROOPS!
IF THE COMMANDER IS ALL DAZED AND SPACED OUT, THE GROUP WILL FAIL!!

THAT'S EXACTLY WHY I'M SAYING I WILL BE THE COMMANDER!! HUHU.

YES, IT IS THE DEEPEST PART OF THE MOUNTAINS, BUT WHAT IF SOMEONE COMES BY AND TAKES ALL THE MONEY?
IT'S FINE! WE CAN JUST COVER IT UP LIKE THIS! NO ONE COMES UP HERE ANYWAYS!!
HUHU. I HAVEN'T SEEN THIS GUY IN A WHILE.



HEHE. MASTER.
I'VE RETURNED!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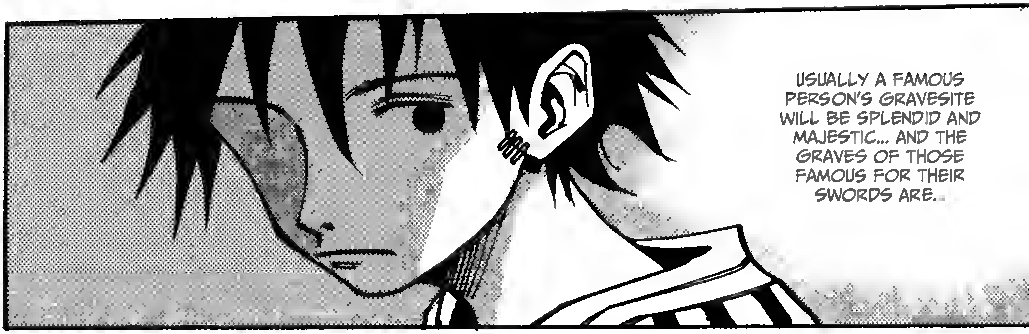
WHAT A HUMBLE GRAVE.. KIRON, THE MASTER SWORDSMAN THAT ALL SWORDSMEN ASPIRE TO!! FOR HIS GRAVE TO BE SO SHABBY...


USUALLY A FAMOUS PERSON'S GRAVESITE WILL BE SPLENDID AND MAJESTIC... AND THE GRAVES OF THOSE FAMOUS FOR THEIR SWORDS ARE..

WELL, THERE ARE TONS OF SWORDSMEN WHO DON'T EVEN GET PROPER BURIALS!!!

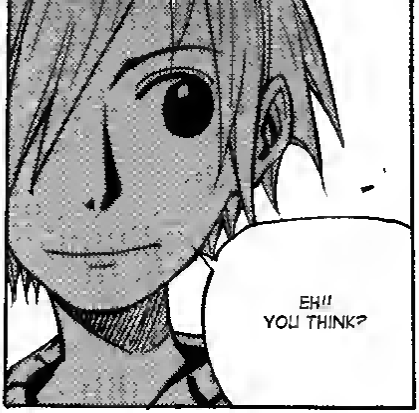
SURE, IT IS A LITTLE SHABBY, BUT KIRON'S FINAL RESTING PLACE IS..

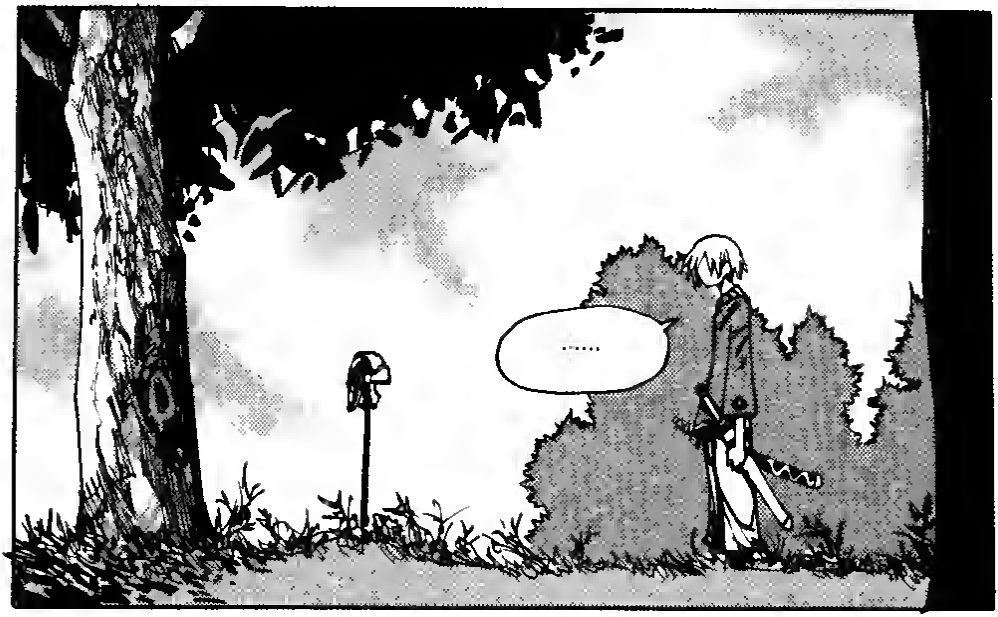
...IT LOOKS SO PEACEFUL!

ARES

YEAH?

I GET THIS FEELING THAT YOUR MASTER IS SMILING DOWN ON YOU FROM ABOVE.


EH!! YOU THINK?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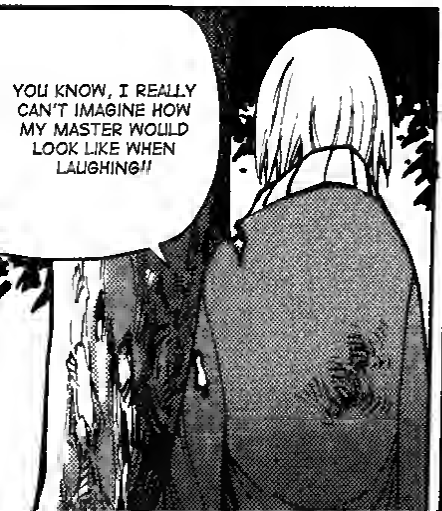
YOU KNOW, I REALLY CAN'T IMAGINE HOW MY MASTER WOULD LOOK LIKE WHEN LAUGHING!!

WHY NOT?

BECAUSE I NEVER GOT A CHANCE TO SEE HIM LAUGH!!

I SEE.

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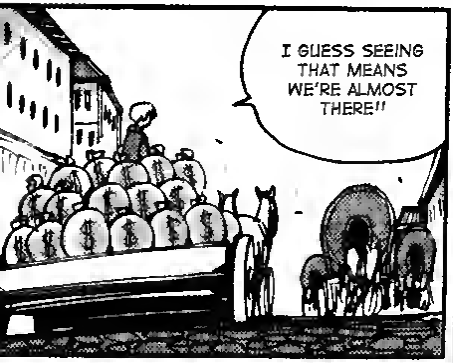
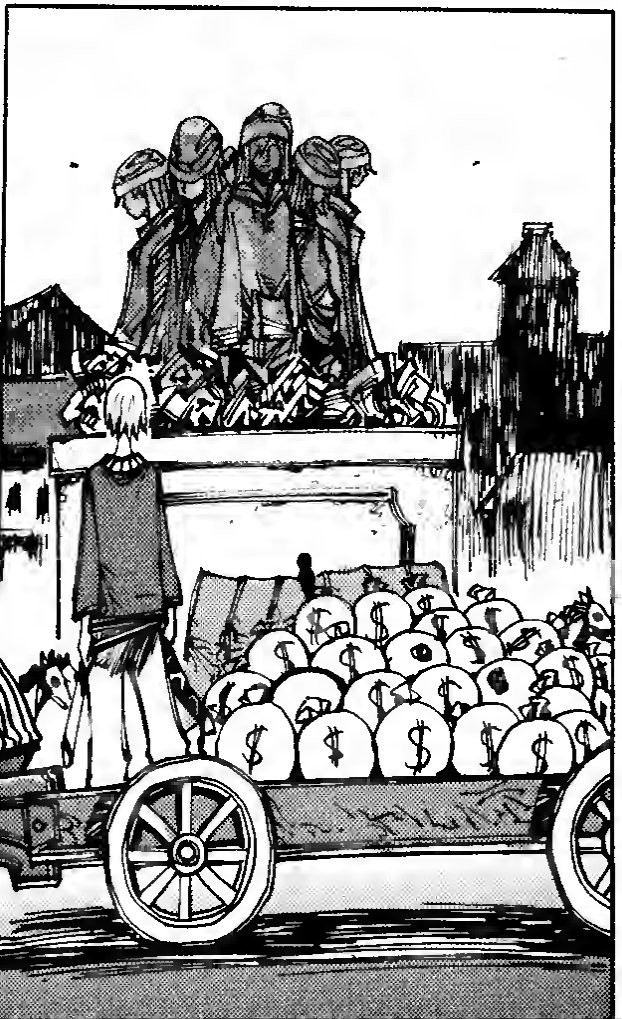
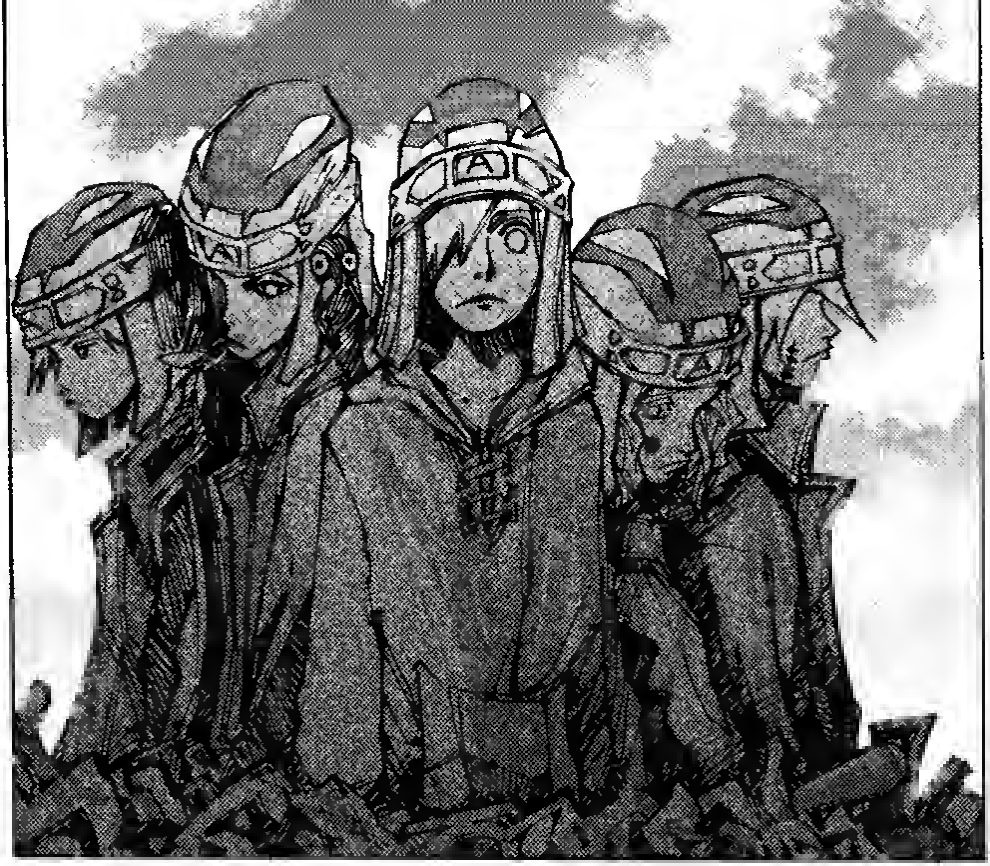

I GUESS SEEING THAT MEANS WE'RE ALMOST THERE!!





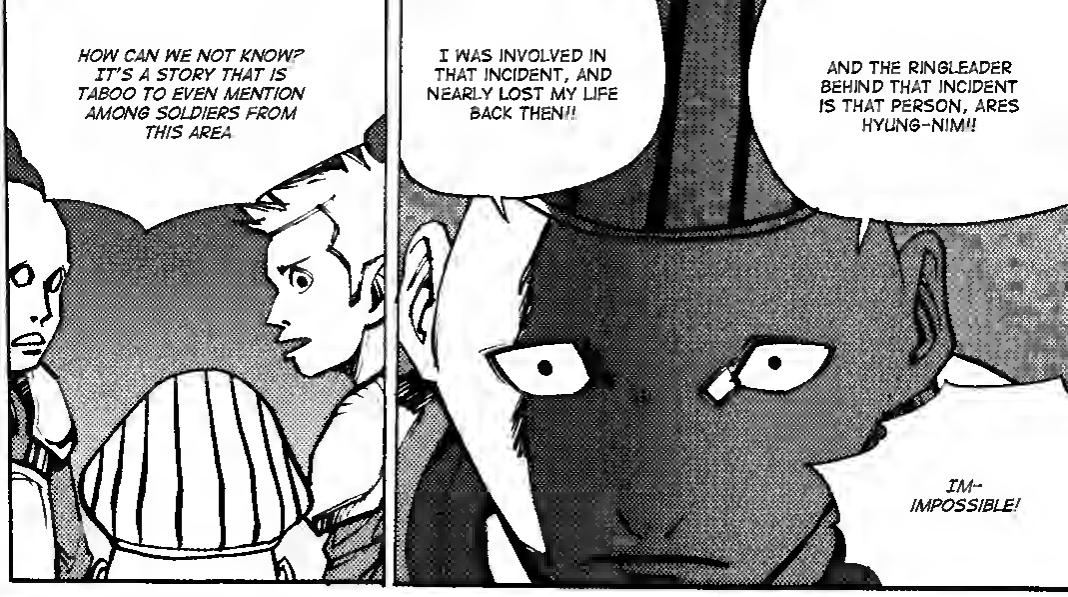
THAT GOHU, HE SHOULD HAVE PAID MORE ATTENTION TO MY FACE WHEN HE WAS MAKING THAT!!

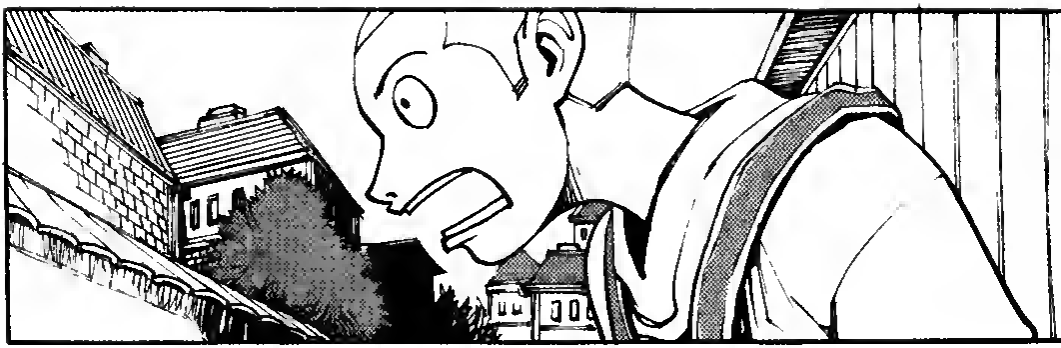
IN MY OPINION, THAT FACE IS BETTER THAN THE REAL THING

IT'S ARES HYUNG-NIM. OPEN THE GATES NOW!
YOU'VE BEEN AWAY FOR TOO LONG, PLEASE COME IN AND MAKE YOURSELF COMFORTABLE!!
ARES HYUNG-NIM. WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN THIS PAST YEAR? WE WERE ALL WORRIED ABOUT YOU
YEAH! THANKS!

[*- REFERRING TO THE CONFRONTATION AT THE SOLDIER'S MESS HALL IN ARIADNE'S CITY. SEE CH20.]

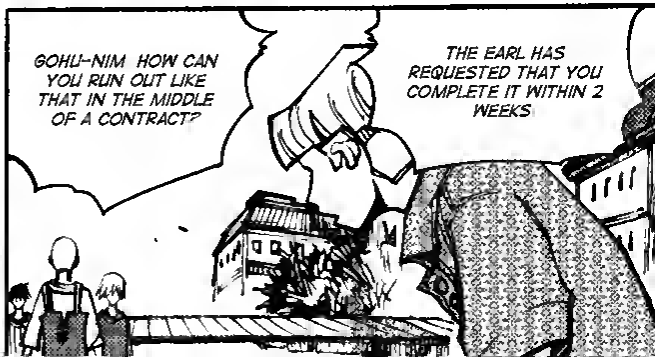
SUNDE-NIM, WHY DO YOU ACT SO HUMBLY BEFORE THOSE GUYS THAT HANG AROUND THIS HOUSEHOLD LIKE PARASITES?
THAT'S RIGHT! THEY LOOK LIKE WEAKLINGS, TOO . WE REALLY DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU
YOU GREENHORNS JUST DON'T KNOW!! ABOUT THAT "RESTAURANT OF BLOOD" INCIDENT* FROM MANY YEARS AGO...

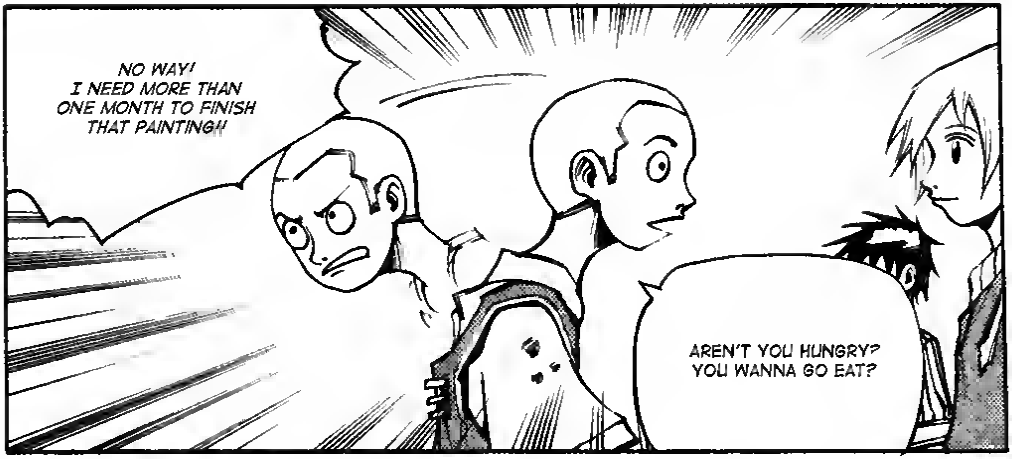

HOW CAN WE NOT KNOW? IT'S A STORY THAT IS TABOO TO EVEN MENTION AMONG SOLDIERS FROM THIS AREA
I WAS INVOLVED IN THAT INCIDENT, AND NEARLY LOST MY LIFE BACK THEN!!
AND THE RINGLEADER BEHIND THAT INCIDENT IS THAT PERSON, ARES HYUNG-NIM!!
IM-IMPOSSIBLE!



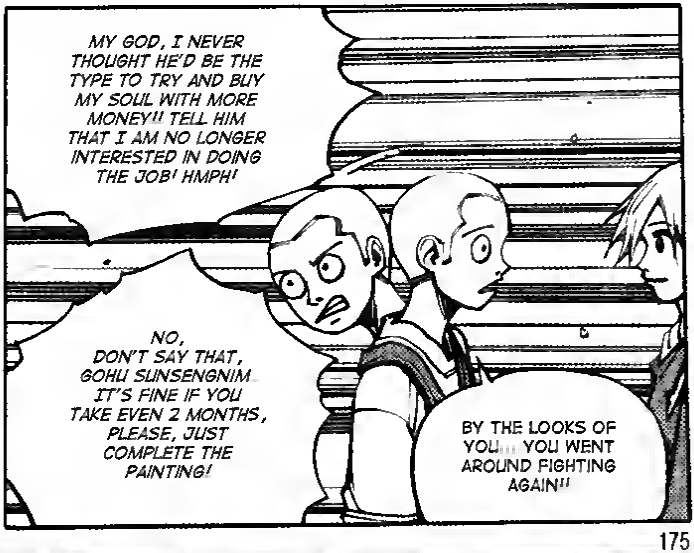
ARES!! YOU'RE BACK.

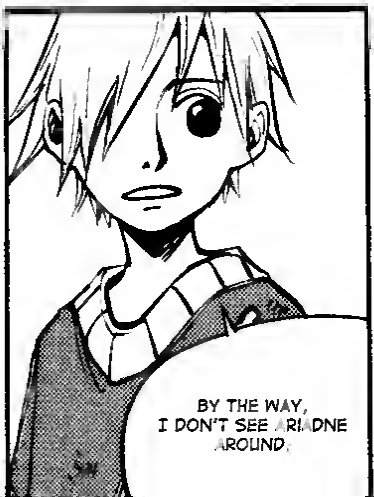
YEP.
JUST WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?


GOHU-NIM HOW CAN YOU RUN OUT LIKE THAT IN THE MIDDLE OF A CONTRACT?
THE EARL HAS REQUESTED THAT YOU COMPLETE IT WITHIN 2 WEEKS.


NO WAY! I NEED MORE THAN ONE MONTH TO FINISH THAT PAINTING!!
AREN'T YOU HUNGRY? YOU WANNA GO EAT?

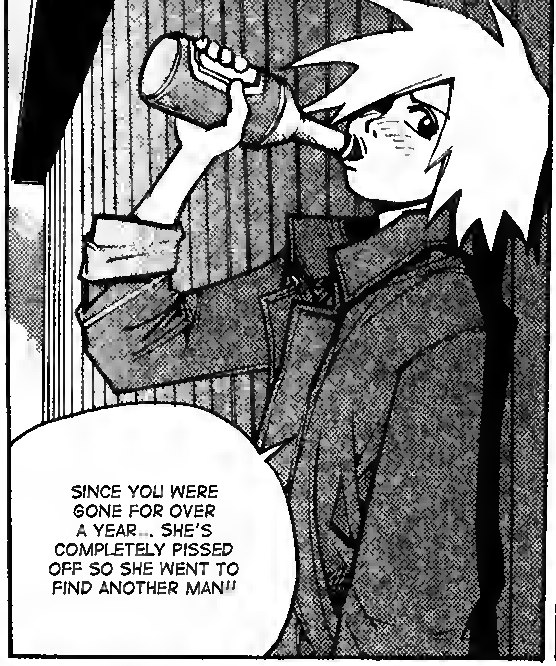
THE EARL SAYS THAT IF YOU FINISH IN 2 WEEKS, HE'LL DOUBLE YOUR PAYMENT.


MY GOD, I NEVER THOUGHT HE'D BE THE TYPE TO TRY AND BUY MY SOUL WITH MORE MONEY!! TELL HIM THAT I AM NO LONGER INTERESTED IN DOING THE JOB! HMPH!
NO, DON'T SAY THAT, GOHU SUNSENGNIM. IT'S FINE IF YOU TAKE EVEN 2 MONTHS, PLEASE, JUST COMPLETE THE PAINTING!
BY THE LOOKS OF YOU!!! YOU WENT AROUND FIGHTING AGAIN!!

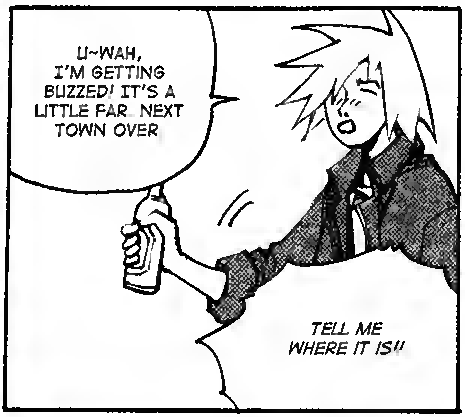

BY THE WAY, I DON'T SEE ARIADNE AROUND.

UH... THAT.

SHE WENT TO A DANCE HALL TO MEET OTHER GUYS!!


SINCE YOU WERE GONE FOR OVER A YEAR... SHE'S COMPLETELY PISSED OFF SO SHE WENT TO FIND ANOTHER MAN!!

WHERE'S THE BALL?


U~WAH, I'M GETTING BUZZED! IT'S A LITTLE FAR. NEXT TOWN OVER
TELL ME WHERE IT IS!!

ARE YOU GONNA GO LIKE THAT?
OF COURSE IT'S URGENT

YOU REALLY DON'T KNOW WOMEN, DO YOU! FOLLOW ME. I'LL LEND YOU SOME CLOTHES!!
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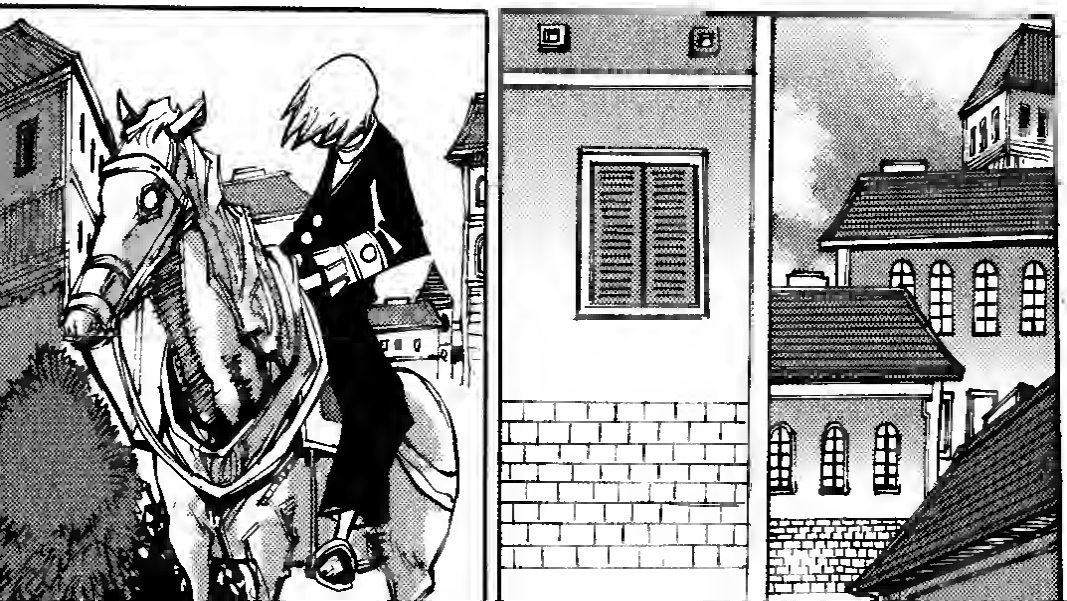
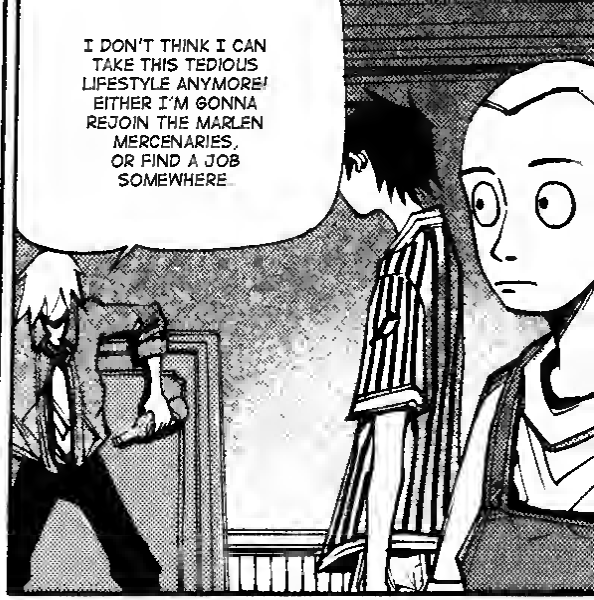
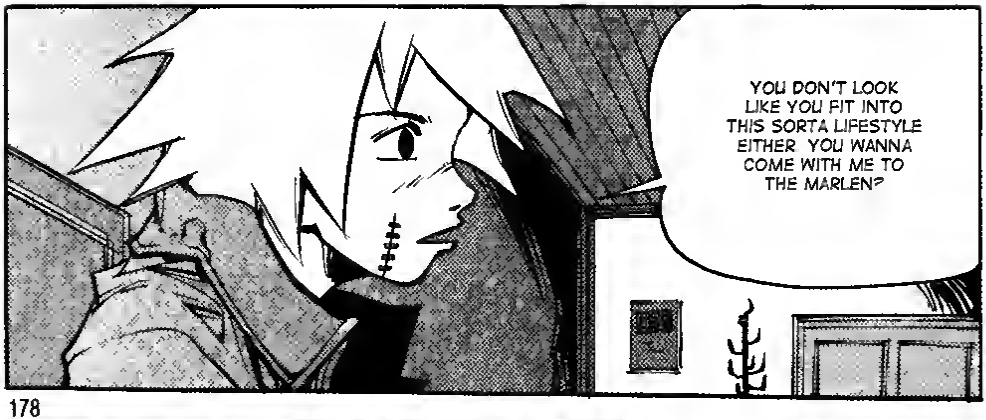
HEE-YA~ HE'S LIKE A TOTALLY DIFFERENT PERSON
LOOKS LIKE HE'S GOT IT
BUT WHERE DO I WEAR MY SWORD ON THIS?
WHY'RE YOU TAKING A SWORD TO A DANCE BALL? SCREW YOUR HEAD ON RIGHT!
GOT IT I'M OFF TO THE BALL NOW!!



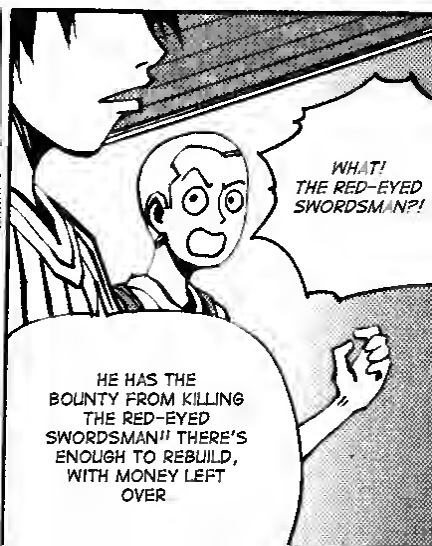
BAROONA!!


I DON'T THINK I CAN TAKE THIS TEDIOUS LIFESTYLE ANYMORE! EITHER I'M GONNA REJOIN THE MARLEN MERCENARIES, OR FIND A JOB SOMEWHERE.

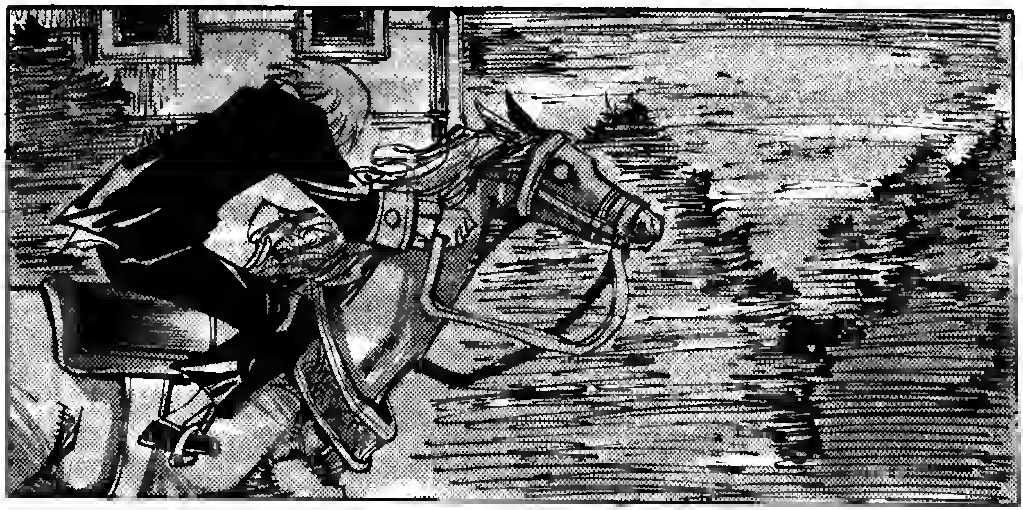

YOU DON'T LOOK LIKE YOU FIT INTO THIS SORTA LIFESTYLE EITHER. YOU WANNA COME WITH ME TO THE MARLEN?

ARES SAYS HE'S REBUILDING THE TEMPLE MERCENARIES.

MAN~ WHERE WOULD HE HAVE THE MONEY FOR THAT? IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!!

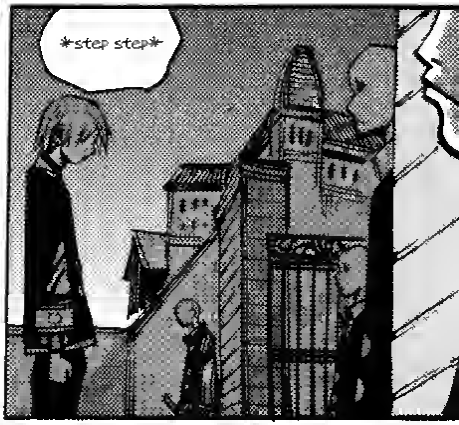

WHAT! THE RED-EYED SWORDSMAN?!
HE HAS THE BOUNTY FROM KILLING THE RED-EYED SWORDSMAN!! THERE'S ENOUGH TO REBUILD, WITH MONEY LEFT OVER

IS THAT FOR REAL? THEN I'M GOING TO BE THE COMMANDER!!
WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YOU DESERVE TO BE THE COMMANDER?
ANYWAYS, THIS IS GREAT!!



PLEASE TAKE CARE OF MY HORSE.

ALLOW ME TO TAKE HIM!!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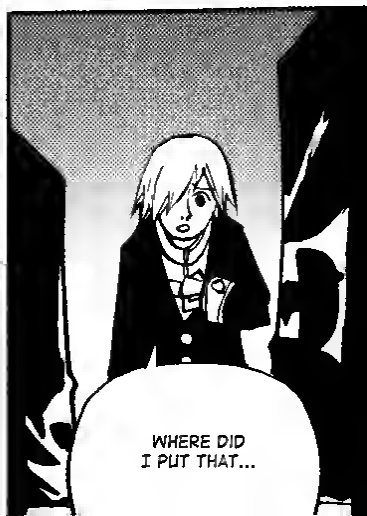
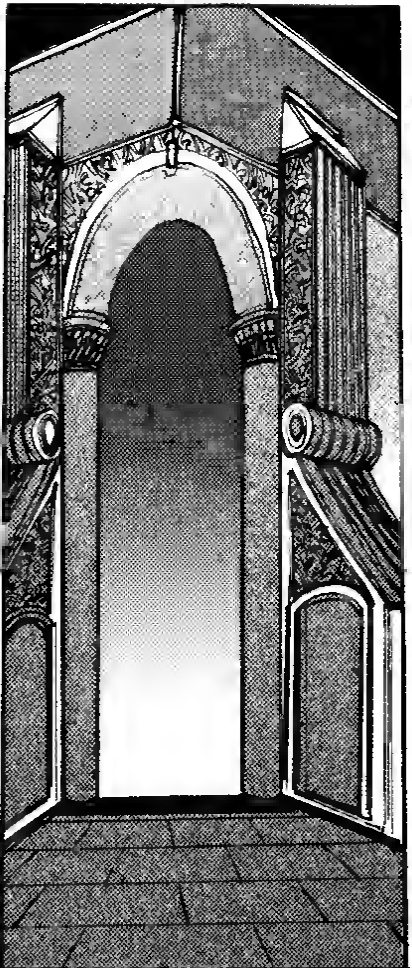
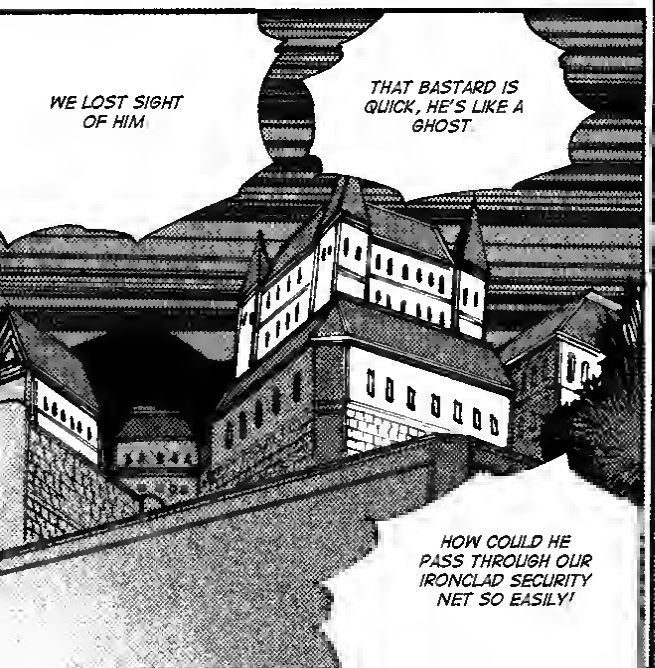
DEAR GUEST, PLEASE PRESENT YOUR INVITATION BEFORE ENTERING!!

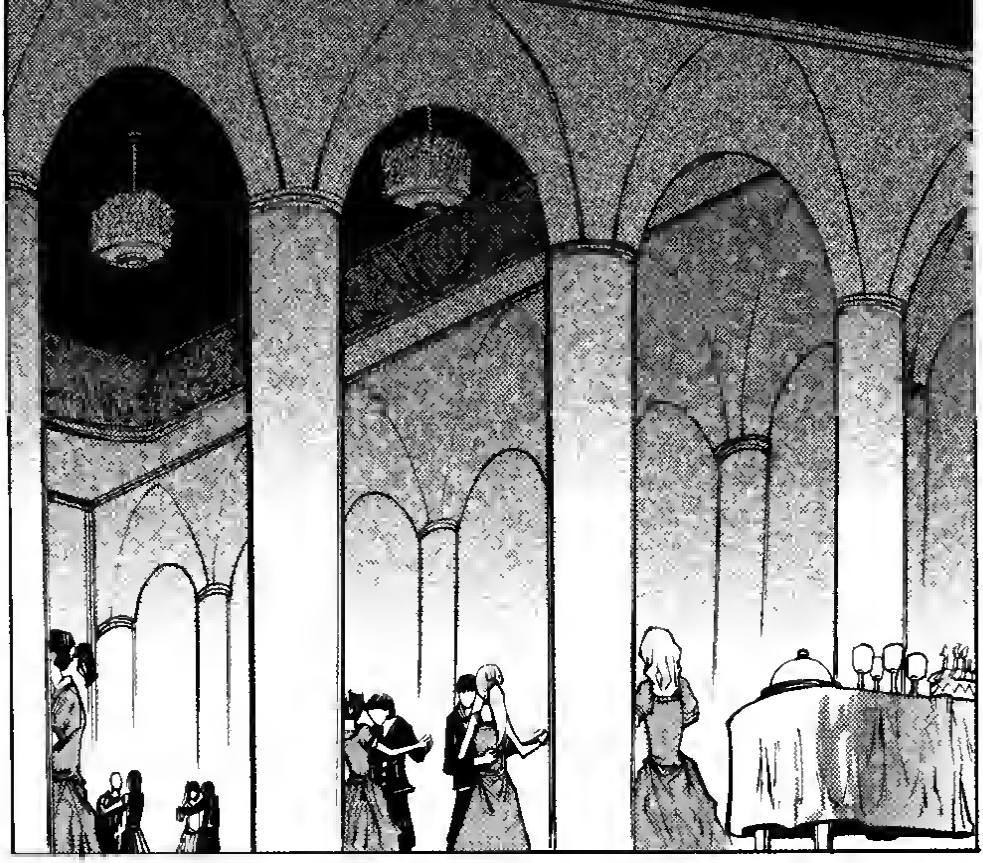
OOPS, THE INVITATION!!

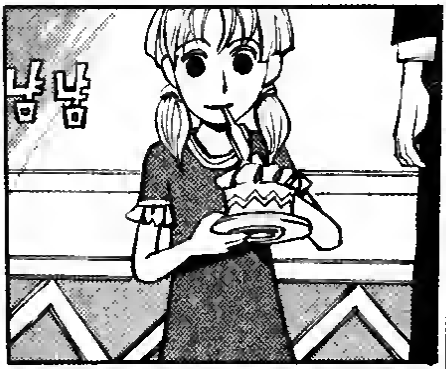

WHERE DID I PUT THAT...

HEEHEE. I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING LIKE THAT.
STOP THAT MAN! HE'S AN INTRUDER!!




WE LOST SIGHT OF HIM
THAT BASTARD IS QUICK, HE'S LIKE A GHOST
HOW COULD HE PASS THROUGH OUR IRONCLAD SECURITY NET SO EASILY!

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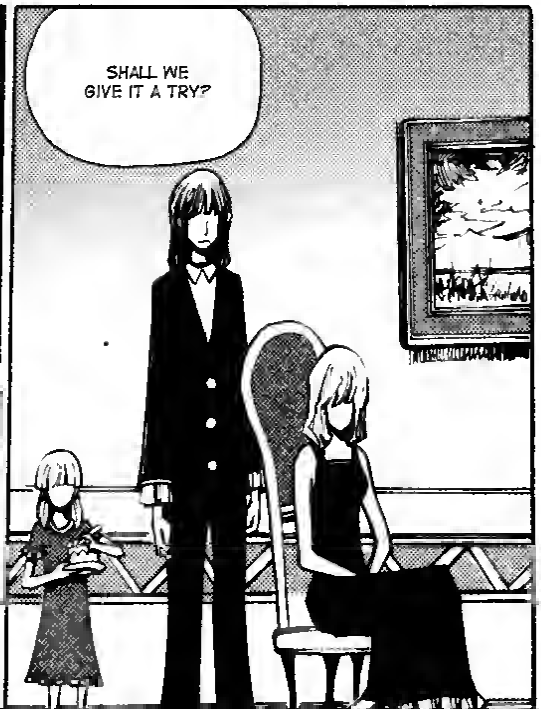
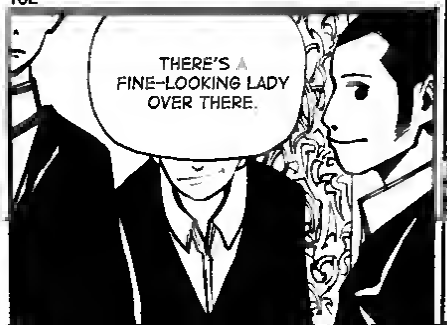
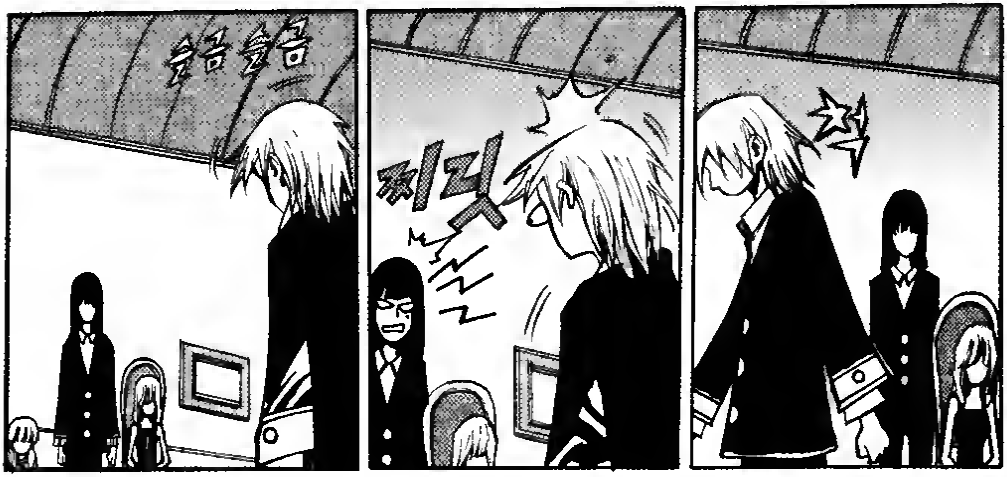

SHALL WE GIVE IT A TRY?


THERE'S A FINE-LOOKING LADY OVER THERE.

YOU GO!
NO, YOU GO FIRST!
FINE, I'LL GO FIRST!!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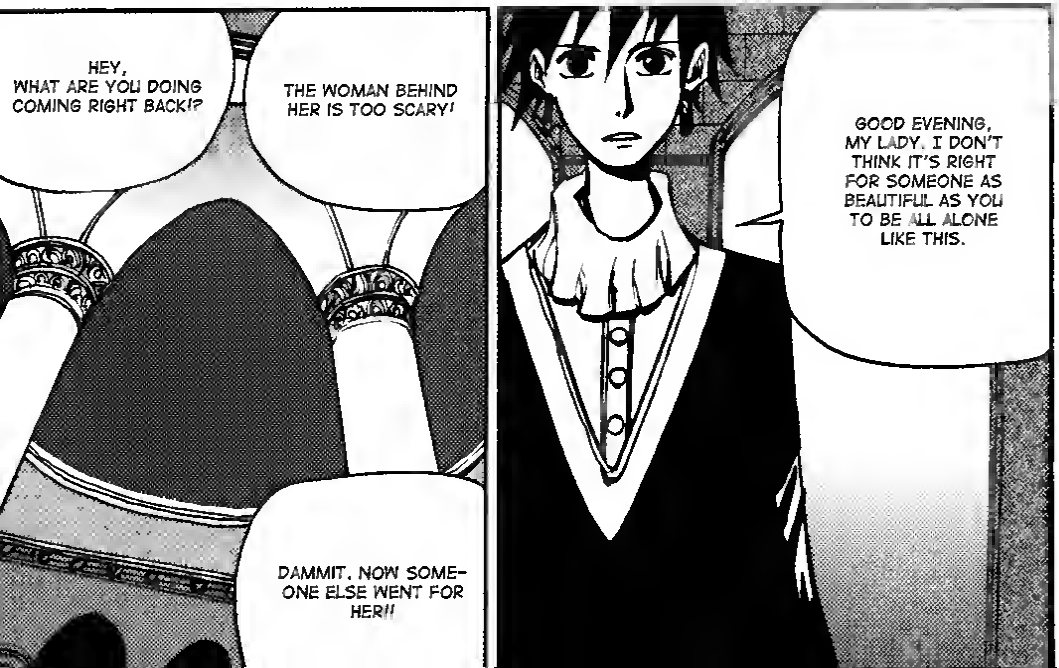
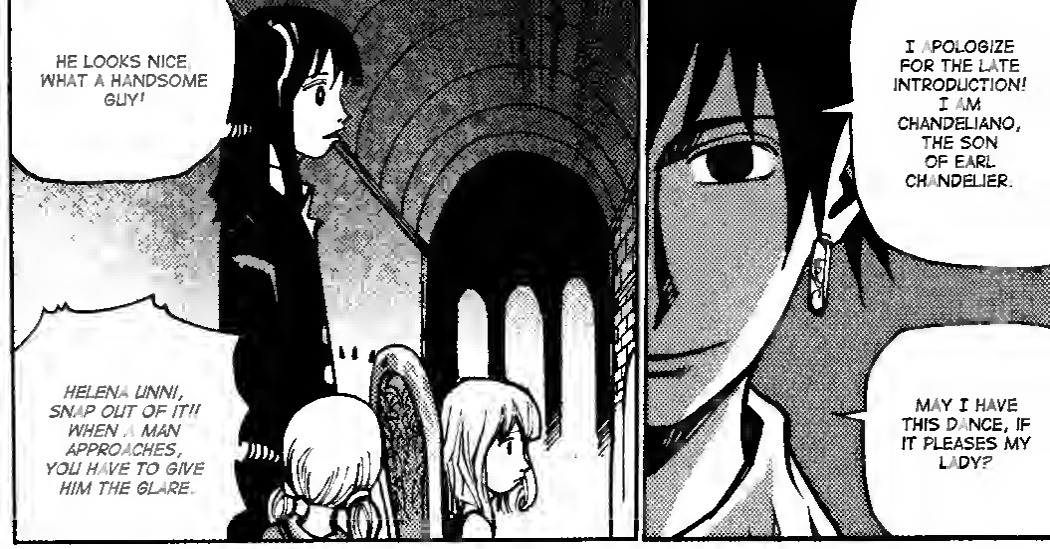
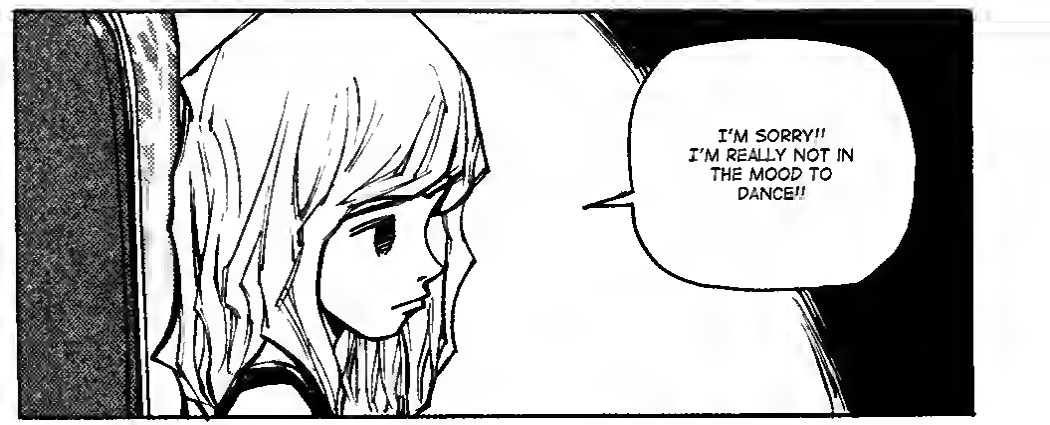
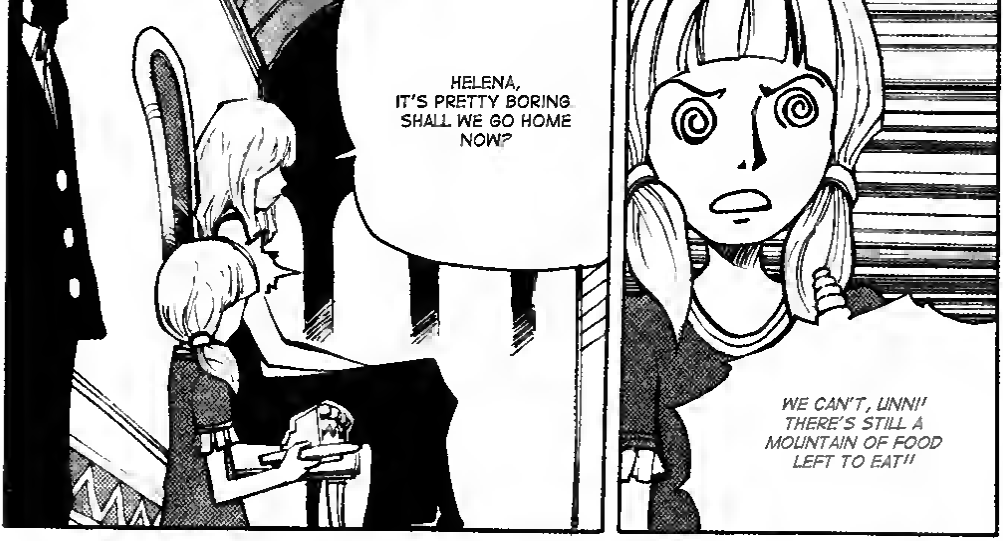
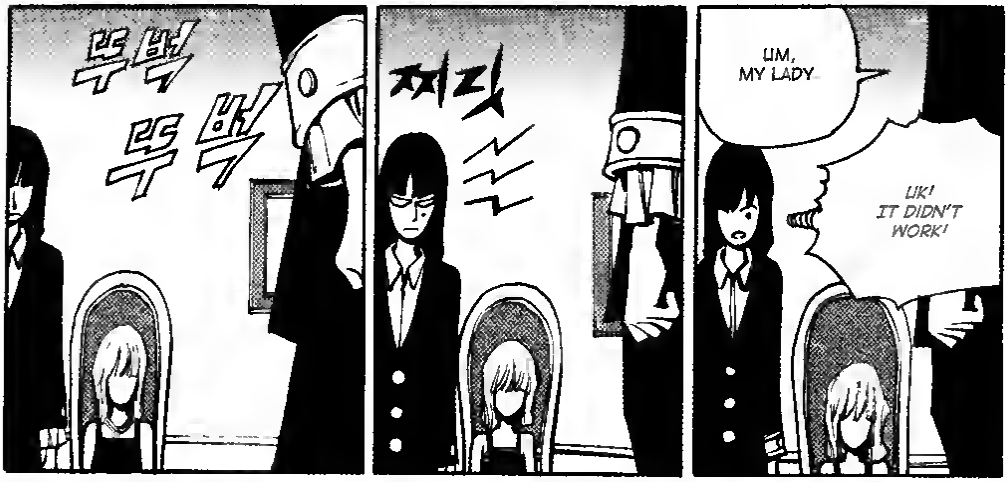

HEY, WHAT ARE YOU DOING COMING RIGHT BACK!?
THE WOMAN BEHIND HER IS TOO SCARY!
DAMMIT, NOW SOME-ONE ELSE WENT FOR HER!!
GOOD EVENING, MY LADY. I DON'T THINK IT'S RIGHT FOR SOMEONE AS BEAUTIFUL AS YOU TO BE ALL ALONE LIKE THIS.


HE LOOKS NICE. WHAT A HANDSOME GUY!
HELENA UNNI, SNAP OUT OF IT!! WHEN A MAN APPROACHES, YOU HAVE TO GIVE HIM THE GLARE.
I APOLOGIZE FOR THE LATE INTRODUCTION! I AM CHANDELIANO, THE SON OF EARL CHANDELIER.
MAY I HAVE THIS DANCE, IF IT PLEASES MY LADY?


I'M SORRY!! I'M REALLY NOT IN THE MOOD TO DANCE!!

I APOLOGIZE. PLEASE SEND FOR ME IF YOU CHANGE YOUR MIND. I'LL BE WAITING.


HELENA,
IT'S PRETTY BORING
SHALL WE GO HOME
NOW?
WE CAN'T, UNNI!
THERE'S STILL A
MOUNTAIN OF FOOD
LEFT TO EAT!!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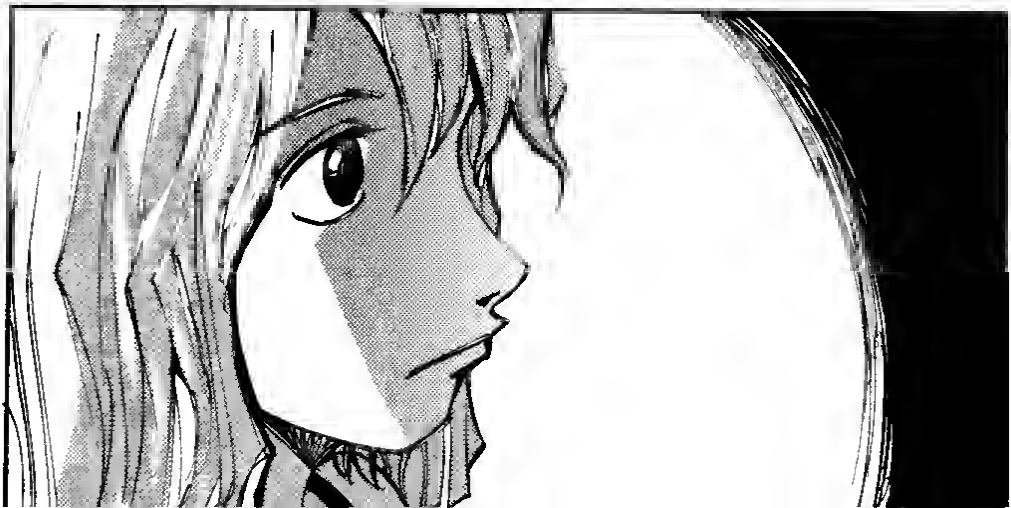
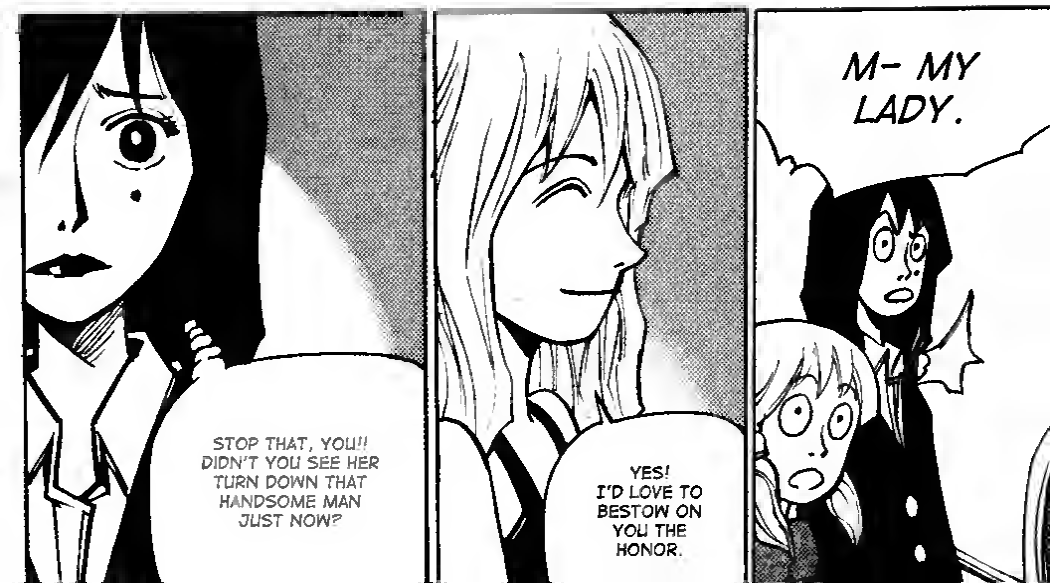
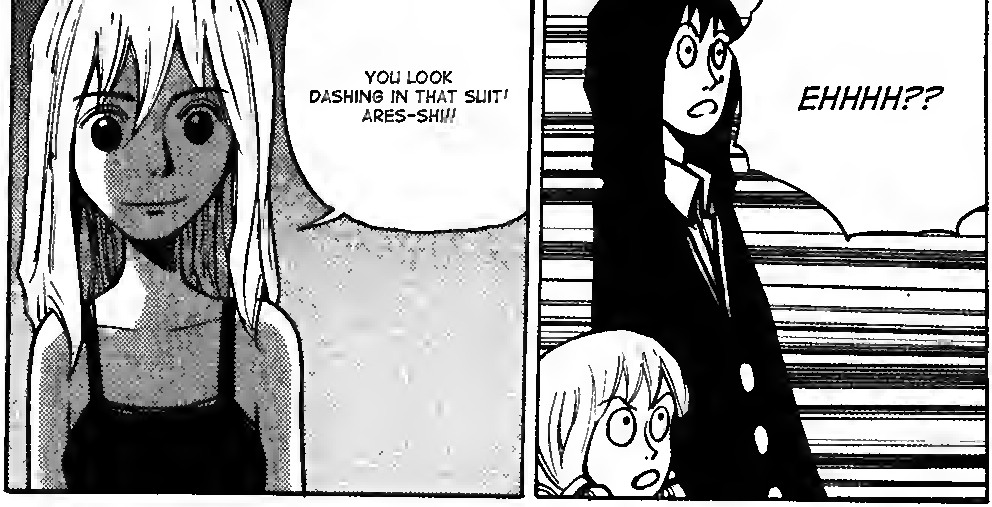
UM,
MY LADY
UK!
IT DIDN'T
WORK!



MAY I HAVE THE HONOR OF DANCING WITH THE LADY?


STOP THAT, YOU!! DIDN'T YOU SEE HER TURN DOWN THAT HANDSOME MAN JUST NOW?
YES! I'D LOVE TO BESTOW ON YOU THE HONOR.
M- MY LADY.


YOU LOOK DASHING IN THAT SUIT! ARES-SHI!!
EHHHH??

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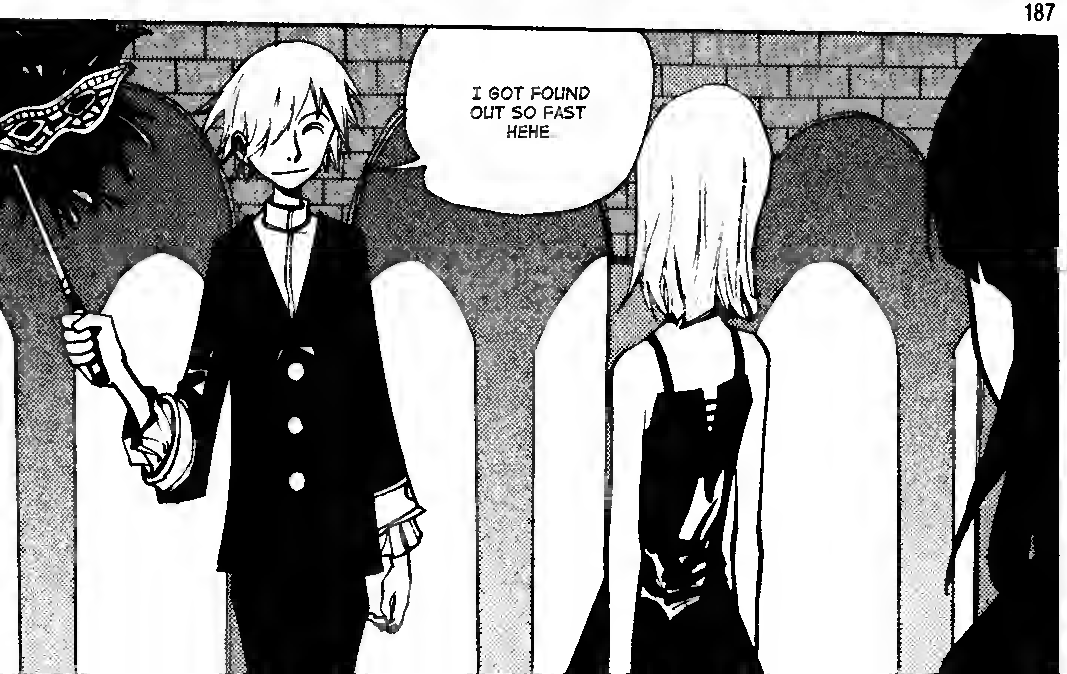
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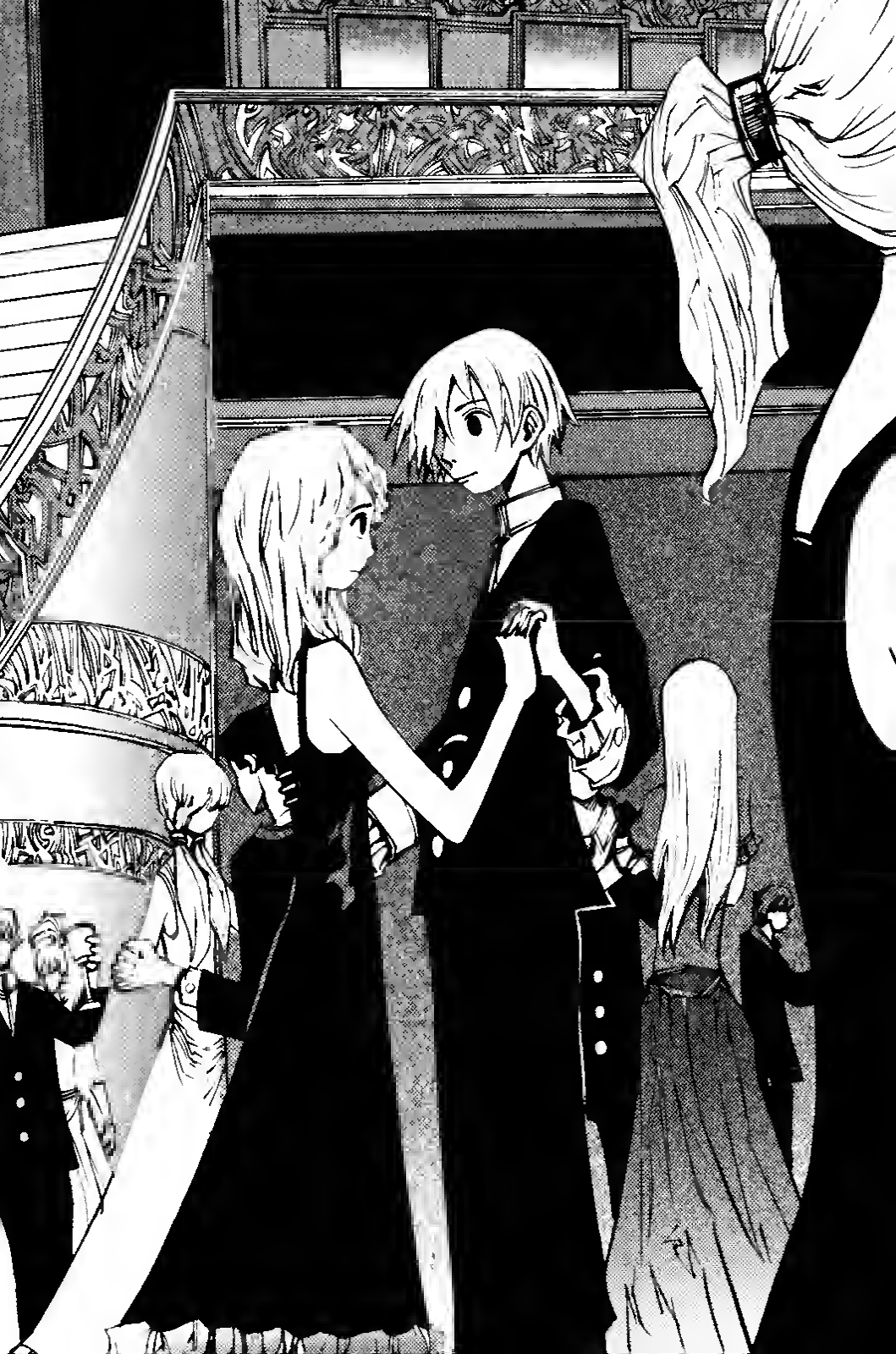
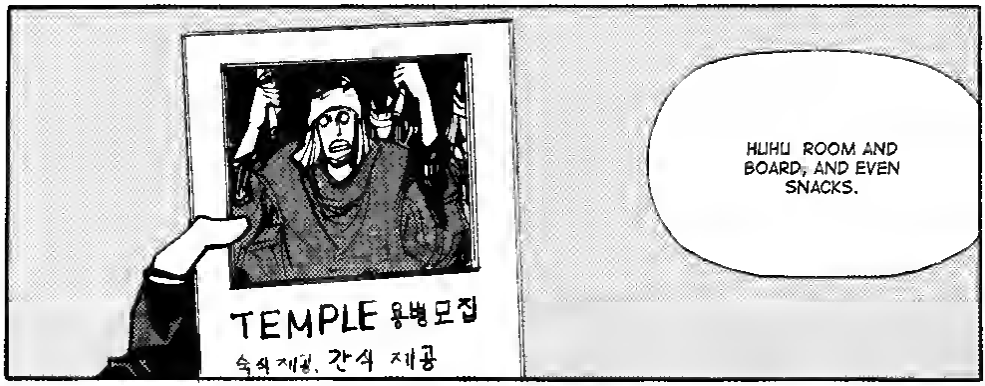
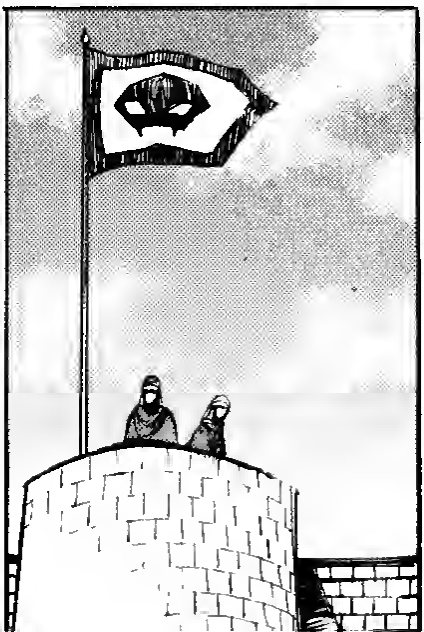
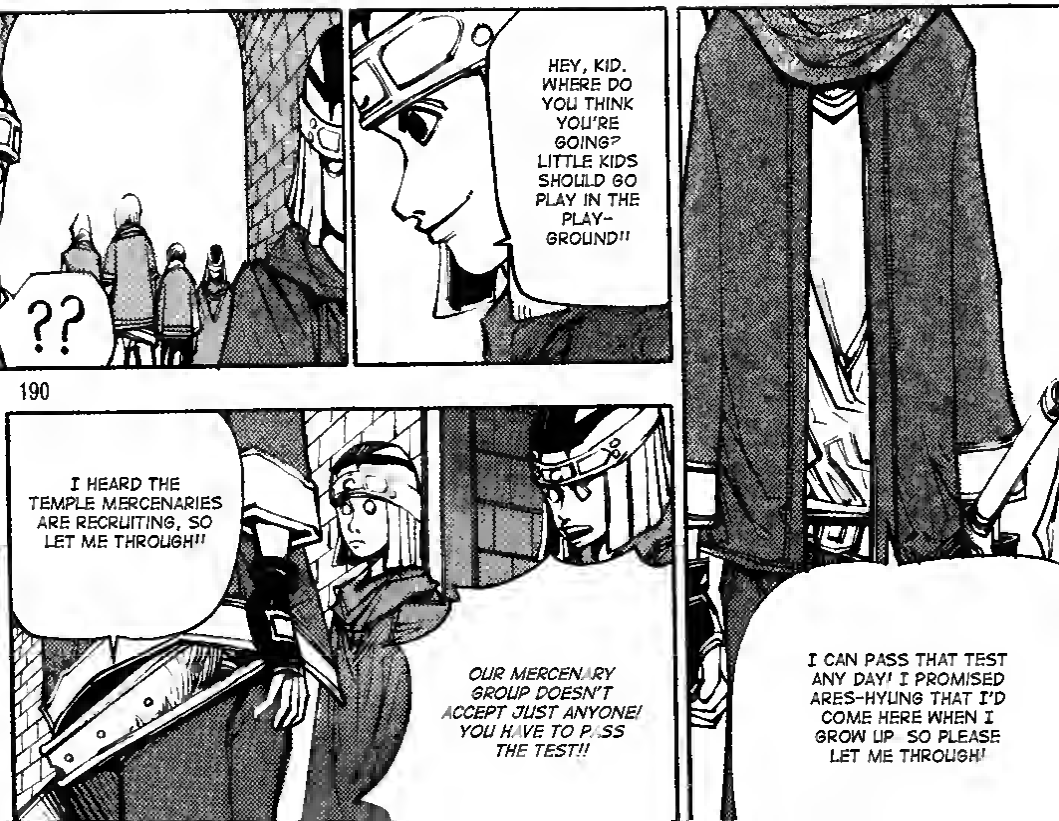


TEMPLE MERCENARIES RECRUITING



ROOM & BOARD INCLUDED. SNACKS INCLUDED.

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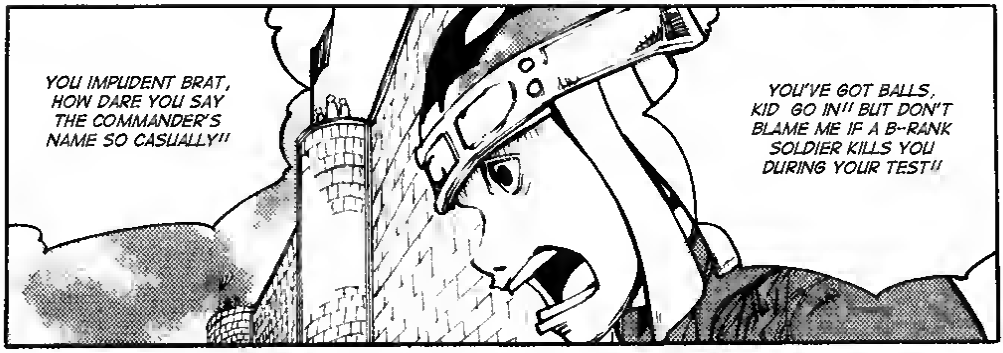
HEY, KID. WHERE DO YOU THINK YOU'RE GOING? LITTLE KIDS SHOULD GO PLAY IN THE PLAY-GROUND!!
I HEARD THE TEMPLE MERCENARIES ARE RECRUITING, SO LET ME THROUGH!!
OUR MERCENARY GROUP DOESN'T ACCEPT JUST ANYONE! YOU HAVE TO PASS THE TEST!!
I CAN PASS THAT TEST ANY DAY! I PROMISED ARES-HYUNG THAT I'D COME HERE WHEN I GROW UP SO PLEASE LET ME THROUGH!


YOU IMPUDENT BRAT, HOW DARE YOU SAY THE COMMANDER'S NAME SO CASUALLY!!
YOU'VE GOT BALLS, KID. GO IN!! BUT DON'T BLAME ME IF A B-RANK SOLDIER KILLS YOU DURING YOUR TEST!!

IF YOU DON'T REMEMBER, THIS IS MICKEY FROM JAGSEN VILLAGE, FROM ARES' 1ST MISSION (CH4-18). SEE CH18 FOR MICKEY'S PROMISE.

WE WERE WITH THESE GUYS FOR 6 YEARS, BUT... IT LOOKS LIKE THE TIME HAS COME FOR US TO SEND THEM OFF! THEY WILL BE MISSED GREATLY, BUT LET US SAY OUR LAST GOODBYE'S HERE. FAREWELL, BAROONA -- FAREWELL, MIKAEL -- AND FAREWELL, ARES!!!
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CAN YOU NAME THEM ALL?

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